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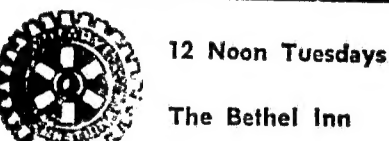
The Bethel Historical Society recently announced that its newsletter "The Bethel Courier" will be published quarterly instead of semi-annually. Previously this eight-page illustrated publication appeared in June and December but under the new plan it will also be published in March and September. Founded in 1976, the "Courier" is named after the Bethel weekly which began publication in 1858. Dr. Nathaniel T. Truc was a frequent contributor to the earlier "Courier" writing a history of the town that appeared in serial form, much of which was later copied by Dr. William B. Lapham in his history of 1891. The entire run of the former "Courier" (1858-1981) has been microfilmed by the Society and is available to researchers in the Society's Eva Bean Research Room.

The present "Courier" honors Dr. Truc's tradition by producing articles on the history of the Bethel area, as well as Society programs and projects. Edited by Society Director Stanley Howe, the newsletter is sent to all members and friends plus historical societies and museums throughout Maine. In the past the "Courier" has featured articles on Bethel's Main Street, Molly Ockett, N. T. Truc, area ferries, Broad Street, Bethel Library, Mayville, hotels and Dr. Moses Mason, to name a few. A book included in each issue is a book review of a local history which has recently been published.

The Bethel Historical Society was founded in 1966 and in 1974 moved into its headquarters, the Dr. Moses Mason House on Broad Street. Membership now stands at 400 and the Society sponsors a wide variety of activities. Anyone interested in receiving a complimentary issue of the "Courier" should call the Society at 824-2908 or write P. O. Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217.

## RISEING SON CONCERT AT RUMFORD CORNER FRIDAY, DEC. 5

Rising Son, a contemporary music group from the Auburn area, will be presenting a concert at the Faith Bible Church, Rte. 232, Rumford Corner, on Friday, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p.m. Rising Son has performed throughout the New England States singing many of the popular Christmas songs plus original songs written by members of the group. Pastor Marty O'Brien, who travels with the group, will bring a short devotional. An offering will be taken to cover their expenses.



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## M. S. A. D. #44 SUPERINTENDENT'S NEWSLETTER

Dr. Wayne F. Gersen

In two earlier newsletters, I indicated that the school district is giving serious consideration to a building program. In the past month, I have gathered data on the school district's past energy costs and projected energy costs, data which put forth a compelling argument for improving the efficiency of the district's schools.

According to news accounts, the cost of energy will be increasing at a rate of 20% per year for an indefinite period of time. Thus, using the 1980-1981 figures as a baseline, it is possible to project the following heating costs for the future, assuming that no changes are made to the district buildings: FY '81, \$174,480; FY '82, \$209,251; FY '83, \$251,251; FY '84, \$301,501; FY '85, \$361,802; FY '86, \$434,162. continued on Page Seven

## CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE AT BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Following the Christmas parade on Main Street, Friday evening, Dec. 12, the Bethel Historical Society invites anyone interested in a warm fire, something hot to drink, a Christmas cookie and a pleasant time to visit the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Mary Valentine will be playing the piano and a group will be singing familiar Christmas carols. Candlelight tours of the museum will also be available. So come and join the fun at the Bethel Historical Society this Friday evening at 7 p.m.

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## Christmas Parade Plans Inch Ahead

Last week's wind-storm had an unanticipated delaying effect on the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce's preparations for a parade arrival of Santa Claus and lighting of a Christmas tree on Friday, Dec. 12. Plans for obtaining and setting up a tree on Main Street in Bethel had to be changed because the Sunday River Tree Service's men and equipment had been called into emergency storm damage clearance. The tree is expected to be all ready for lighting on Friday evening after Santa Claus is escorted into town by the Telstar Regional High School marching band and the pony-drawn coach of Grace and Dick Douglass.

Most of Bethel's stores plan to remain open until 8 p.m. to accommodate shoppers who come to see the ceremony and bring children to meet Santa Claus.

During the week village stores have been signing up youth applicants who want to have their name drawn and win the honor of lighting the Christmas tree. The winning name will be drawn at the tree at approximately 7:15 p.m.

After the tree is lighted, carolers will add a musical accompaniment to the ceremony and Santa Claus will meet youngsters and their parents.

Following the tree lighting, the Telstar Junior class is sponsoring a movie at the high school's auditorium. The movie is "Coal Miner's Daughter"; it starts at 8 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous will be meeting Wednesdays from 1 - 2:30 p.m. Call Ann at 824-2146, Maureen at 824-2949 or Brenda at 824-2209.

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## HIGH WIND DOES DAMAGE IN LOCAL AREA

The high winds on Wednesday and Thursday of last week caused considerable damage in the local area with reports of blown down trees and interruption of utility service.

Reports of damage included the greater part of a grove of spruce trees near the Peter Brown residence on Mason Street being uprooted; trees blown onto two cars and later, trees crashing onto the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asher Runnels on the Sunday River Road; trees downed and a cabin lifted into the air at Greenwood Cabins off Route 26 near Locke Mills; as well as reports of tops of chimneys being blown off.

The greatest damage in Oxford County appeared to be centered around Lovell and Stoneham with reports of trees blown down, roads blocked, and structures damaged as a result of the winds.

Although power loss was minimal in the Bethel village area, outages of 48 hours duration were reported from the outlying areas.

## BISBEE SCHOOL T.A.P. GROUP SEEKING EQUIPMENT AND IDEAS FOR PLAYGROUND

The Playground Committee of the Ethel Bisbee School Teachers and Parents Group is looking for ideas for rugged, safe, maintenance free playground equipment that can be constructed of locally available materials with volunteer labor. Anyone having plans, pictures, or dreams of such equipment is asked to contact one of the committee members. Present members are Paul and Carol Lee Doty, Mike Inman, Roxy Bean, Betsey Brent, Steve Wight, and Nancy Davis, school principal.

The committee would welcome anyone interested in the project to join in. It is hoped that in the

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## FROM THE bethel town office

The Board of Selectmen met Monday evening, Dec. 8, in the Bethel Savings Bank meeting room and voted on a long and varied agenda.

At the beginning of the meeting public hearings were held on the application of Gloria Lewis and Lauretta Varo d/b/a "The Only Place" on the West Bethel Road for a liquor license, entertainment permit and victualers license. Following the hearing, the Selectmen voted to recommend to the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages that a liquor license be granted to the applicants. Considerable discussion with the applicants on the entertainment permit application took place. The applicants explained their intent of running a family type restaurant with a small bar and wishing to provide tap music, possibly dancing, an occasional solo entertainer, and the showing of old movies periodically. After discussion and numerous questions regarding proposed operating procedures, and how they planned to handle potential problems, the Selectmen voted to approve the entertainment permit. The Licensing Board (Selectmen, Town Clerk and Town Manager)

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## TELSTAR CHRISTMAS CONCERT SCHEDULED FOR DEC. 18

The Annual Telstar Regional High School Christmas Concert will be on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. The concert will feature the High School Concert Chorus and the Swingin' Rebel Jazz Band.

spring parents and friends of the school will be ready for a Construction Week End when the new equipment will be built.

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## BILL KOCH SKI LEAGUE REGISTRATION DEC. 13

Registration for the Bill Koch Ski League will be held this Saturday, Dec. 13, at 10 a.m. at the Bethel Savings Bank. The Bill Koch Ski League is a national nordic ski program of the United States Ski Association for youngsters through age 18. It is based on the premise that fun and fitness are important elements in developing a healthy family lifestyle. All parents, kids, and friends in the greater Bethel area are invited to come and see what Bill Koch Ski League is all about. Refreshments will be provided and a film will be shown.

## STEERING COMMITTEE FOR INDIAN RAID BICENTENNIAL TO MEET DEC. 16

Recently the Board of Trustees of the Bethel Historical Society met and appointed the committees of the Society for the coming year. Also appointed was a special committee to plan and coordinate the bicentennial of what has been termed "New England's Last Indian Raid" which occurred at Bethel Aug. 3, 1781. The committee members include Alden Kennett, Ronald Snyder, Helen Morton, Arlene G. Brown, Donald Bennett, Ernest Perkins, Phyllis Roberts and E. M. Quinn. For an undertaking of this magnitude to succeed the assistance of the entire community is needed and the committee plans to encourage as much participation as possible.

The first meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the Moses Mason House. Anyone interested in presenting ideas or helping with particular aspects of the celebration is encouraged to attend.

The Farmers Home Administration office at 1 Main St., South Paris, will be closed all day Thursday, Dec. 18, to enable county personnel to attend a training session.

Al-Anon and Alcoholics Anonymous—separate meetings—both at Bethel Savings Bank, Wednesday, 8 p.m. No dues or fees. Emerg or info., call 824-2233, 836-3222, 875-3992.

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## Bethel Special Town Meeting to be Held Dec. 22

The Bethel Selectmen set a special town meeting to be held Monday, Dec. 22, at 7 p.m. in the Bethel Fire Station to act on budget items where unanticipated expenditures have occurred during 1980. Article 1 on the warrant will be to choose a moderator for the meeting. Article 2 will be to see if the Town will vote to appropriate funds from unappropriated surplus to the following accounts to cover unanticipated expenses for 1980: General Government, \$1,500; Town Office, \$1,000; Street Lights, \$210; Parks and Cemeteries, \$210; General Assistance, \$500; Social Security, \$900; Airport Operations, \$600; Garage Maintenance, \$700. The total of these accounts is \$5,620. The following is a detailed explanation of each item to assist the residents of Bethel understand the need for these budget changes. Balances in other accounts will exceed the unanticipated expenditures noted above with a net budget surplus occurring at the end of the fiscal year.

(1) General Government—When the budget was approved in March it was estimated that income of continued on Page Four

## S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS MEETING AT TELSTAR, DEC. 15

The board of directors of M. S. A. D. #44 will meet in the Telstar Library next Monday evening, Dec. 15, at 7:30.

Agenda items include action on the appointment of a secretary at Andover Elementary School; posting of a bus driver vacancy for the South Woodstock run; district funding of a part-time teacher aide for Woodstock Elementary School. Also scheduled is action on a bid for the hot lunch van, as well as a parent's request for home instruction.

The board will be requested to authorize the superintendent to purchase a 66-passenger bus using surplus FY '81 funds.

Portions of the FY '82 budget concerning adult education, health education, student activities, instructional materials and supplies, are scheduled for discussion.

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## Northwest Bethel

Clarice Gibson, Corres.

This week has been the week of the winds. They started in on Wednesday night and lasted at times until Saturday. Not realizing how hard they had blown (although I had heard the lights went out at about six in Albany and were still out) I started out for Norway about eight Thursday morning. Everything looked pretty good until I started down the other side of Hunt's Corner, from there in to Papoose Pond Camps, the road was, in a lot of places, open to one way traffic. Even then the branches would scrape the car going by. One would almost think a huge bulldozer had gone through. In other places it looked as though someone huge had gone through and pushed certain trees over leaving the roots, other trees were broken off like match sticks. School, I guess, didn't keep in any of Oxford County. I know it didn't here and in the Oxford Hills school district. Have been told by others, who have been to Lovell, that it is much worse over there. A couple of people said that it must look like some tornadoes had been through. Have not heard of anybody being hurt. Friday we were without lights for a couple of hours as a tree fell across the roads and lines between the cemetery and Valentine's field. Understand Becky Shaw was coming home and it fell not too far in front of her car. Actually we did, however, have the best week end we have had for weeks, as the roads were not slippery and the weather was clear. Frank and I went to the Ripley and Fletcher Co. Christmas party Saturday night at the Country Way. They had a delicious meal and for those who wished to dance, a band.

Thanksgiving, Elaine Hutchins and girls enjoyed their dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hutchins and family.

Friday, Nov. 28, Elaine, Shilo, and Misty Hutchins, went to Franklin, N. H., and spent the week end with Mrs. Patricia Byers. Saturday, they all went roller skating in Tilton, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Moore and three children had Thanksgiving dinner with Phil Korhonen and family in Newry. For supper, Sue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Peanut" Durgin, and uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole, Locke Mills, were guests at Moore's.

Dec. 6, Randy Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert, married Minnie McElmurry in Andover, and the reception was in West Bethel. George and Betty had

their son, Ronnie, and family, come Friday until Sunday, and the night of the wedding, Erlon Waterhouse, and Pam Bruce of Houston, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Johnson and children, Norway, stayed overnight at George Gilbert's.

Some of the shoppers this week were: Macki Chapman and Pat Anderson, went Christmas shopping in Lewiston Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hannon and girls went shopping in Berlin, N. H., Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns and daughter, Debbie Seames, went to Lewiston, shopping Saturday, and the children stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Greg Fraser, Newry. George and I went to Gorham shopping Sunday and Sylvia Benson went shopping with her daughter in Lewiston, Monday, Dec. 2. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Butters went to Gorham and Berlin shopping and had supper in Berlin.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham went to the wedding of his niece, Lottie Butters, to Bruce Stevens, at the Methodist Church and the reception at the Moses Mason House.

Monday, Dec. 1, Lester Butters took Myrtle Lapham to a foot doctor in Berlin, N. H.

Dick and Sue Angevine went to Jordan's Restaurant, Saturday, in observance of Sue's birthday which was Sunday.

Saturday, Sue and Timmy Angevine went to Mr. and Mrs. Stan Moore's to help Stan, Jr., celebrate his 10th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shimamura went to Positively Maine Street, South Paris, in observance of their anniversary, which was Dec. 1.

A couple of weeks ago when I went into town I had a terrible time getting the car to start and every time I stopped, and tried to start it, it was terrible. It also had a rattle. When I went by the shop I asked Frank to please check the oil—O.K.—so he took off the carburetor cap. No wonder—he got a pocket full of acorns out. I hope Mr. Squirrel had some elsewhere for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Evelyn Hilborn has been enjoying herself shopping Saturday at New Auburn Mall and came back by Rumford, Sunday in Portland, Monday night in St. Johnsbury, Vt., and came by Wells, where she had dinner.

As though reluctant to retire And yield her reign to eventide The setting sun turns into fire And tints the countryside. Then as she slowly sinks from sight, She calmly calls the earth to rest And gently tucks into the west The coverlet of night.

—Barbara Burrows.

## Andover EAST ANDOVER

Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.

Andover Senior Citizens will hold their Christmas meeting on Dec. 16 at the C.E.B. Each one is asked to bring a present for exchange.

Floyd Emerson, Jr., Mike and Katherine, and his mother, Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr., were in Augusta on Saturday to visit Mrs. Floyd Emerson Jr., who is a patient at Kennebec General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Trine and Michele were callers on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey.

The high winds raised havoc with trees, swing-sets and anything else in its way. Some roofs were ripped up and a lot of people had furnace trouble.

On Dec. 6, Charles S. Cutting, South Windham, was dinner and supper guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting.

On Dec. 13, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting, Upton Road, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. Congratulations and best wishes for 50 more.

Skating is being enjoyed on "French's Bog" a sure sign of winter. The skating rink in back of the library has been checked out by a few, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell and son, Derek, were Sunday callers of his aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey. They also visited other relatives in town.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson Jr. returned home from the Kennebec General Hospital on Sunday.

Mrs. Kenneth Field returned Friday from the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where she was a surgical patient.

John Jodrey and Walter Jodrey received word Monday of the sudden death of their brother, Granville Jodrey, in Augusta.

Dr. Wayne Gersen, S. A. D. #44 superintendent, will conduct an informational meeting at Andover School Gym on Dec. 16 at 7 p. m. Among the topics that will be discussed will be: (1) Why is S. A. D. #44 considering a building program? (2) What alternatives are S. A. D. #44 currently considering? (3) What is the procedure for building a school? (4) How much will a building program cost? (5) What happens now? This will be an excellent opportunity for all of us to discuss the various questions very closely related to the future of Andover. Plan to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Swain entertained last week, their three sons, two daughters-in-law and two grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Swain and Courtney Newry; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney L. Swain and Gregory, Jericho, Vt., Ross B. Swain, who was observing his 26th birthday, and Ms. Leigh Bradenback, a student at U. M. F. Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Swain

tend this very important meeting. The Calvary Congregational Church Christmas party will be on Dec. 21 at 6:30 p. m. Also on Dec. 21, the choir will sing in a cantata at the morning services. The church has planned a fellowship dinner on Sunday, Dec. 14, following morning worship services.

Mrs. Fred Emerson was in Augusta Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jodrey Sr. and John Jodrey Jr., were in Augusta on Tuesday to make funeral arrangements for his brother, Blye Jodrey.

Sermon topic at Andover Congregational Church on Dec. 7 was "Paul's Defense." Worship leader was Mrs. Jane Rich. At 5:30 p. m. a pot luck meal was enjoyed in the C.E.B. before they went on a hymn singing hayride which concluded at Betsy Fisher's place. Sunday evening a trustees board meeting was held in the James Summerton room. The committee reported the Ladies Aid had given the church a sum of money which they appreciated very much. While they can be exceedingly grateful to the ladies, this information should cause us all to examine our own patterns of giving. The Ladies Aid also gave towards the storm windows. The church will be delivering Christmas baskets to shut-ins again this year. If you wish to help, bring baked goods, cookies, pickles, jams, jellies, etc., or cash in the next two weeks to the C. E. B. On Dec. 21 the packages will be prepared and delivered. On Dec. 14 at 2 p. m., Tree Trimming Party—Brownies, Juniors and Cadets. If there is interest in Cub Scouts in Andover, the Rumford Point Pack is willing to help get one started. Their meeting is on Wednesday, December 17, at 6:30 p. m. at the church. Choir rehearsal, Dec. 11, Thursday, 6:30 p. m., Junior choir, and 7:30 p. m., Senior Choir. Dec. 13, 9-10 a. m., Junior choir.

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## Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

Believe it or not Albany, is still on the map! With the winds we had last week I think everyone is surprised that we were not totally relocated.

Friday evening, Sarah Andrews made an oyster stew supper for the Tim Kavanaughs in their new home.

Sunday night supper guests of Albert and Elma McAllister were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister and Rodney White. Sunday, Albert and Elma called on Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hale and Russ in Denmark. Margaret Barton and Joan Leino went to North Conway shopping on Sunday.

Franklin Barton and Jimmy went rabbit hunting in Wilson's Mills on Saturday.

Callers at the Barton Farm last week were Charles and Edith Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Don and Joan Leino and Dick and I and the boys.

What a week at K-D's Acres! Along with the rest of the community we were out of power for 48 hours! A new experience indeed.

Dick celebrated his birthday on Thursday. We had cake and ice cream up at the Barton Farm.

The family Christmas party is tonight, Dec. 12, at the Church.

Callers last week were Christine and Elton Cole and Megan, Allan Twitchell, Jeff Barton, Franklin Barton, Paul and Polly McAllister, Linda Murch, Barb Inman, Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell, Kay

recently attended a Christmas dinner at the Ramada Inn in Portland for the Maine Chapter #7 of the 1918 Club. This is a national organization. Others in this area belonging, but unable to attend, were Merton Perkins and Walter Sylvester Sr., Mrs. Swain is the recording secretary for the Maine Chapter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt were in Lewiston on Friday to see their eye doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leeper, Kingsdown, R. I., were at their cottage here for the week end.

Wallace Hayes who has been visiting his uncle and grandmother for a while plans to return to his home in New York on Tuesday.

Doris Hayes and grandson, Terry Spire, were in Auburn, on Sunday to have dinner with Ardell and Betty Hayes.

Glenn Hayes and two boys, Gray, and Del and Betty Hayes, Auburn, were at the Hayes Homestead on Saturday.

Clyde Morgan has been ill several days with the flu. Mrs. Stanley Hakala is a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital for minor surgery. Ernest Morris had the cast removed from his hand on Friday and is doing well.

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HEALTH EDUCATION NEWS:  
"HEALTH GAMES" PRESENTED  
AT E.B.S. AND C.P.S.

Monday, Dec. 8 saw the return of an old friend to students at the Ethel Bisbee School and to third graders at Crescent Park School. Bill Wood, (alias Franklin the Good Food Friend) who performed for students last winter in his Franklin role, was back to present "Health Games". This time he was accompanied by Nancy Beaumont, Richard Perkins and Michelle Farr, Health Sciences students at the University of Maine at Farmington. Bill and his students developed "Health Games" as part of a practicum for UMF students who are majoring in Health Science. "Health Games" is a series of four lively games in which children in grades K-3 actively participate in playing about their health. The four topics covered by the games are nutrition; dental health; safety and mental health. The ideas presented are simple, straight forward and fun and serve as a supplement to the regular health education curriculum being presented by the classroom teacher. There are approximately 12 UMF students involved in the practicum with Bill. The project has been funded through UMF by the Health Education Resource Center and was brought to S. A. D. #44 as part of the school health education program. Bill will be back in January to bring "Health Games" to students in Andover, Woodstock and Locke Mills Schools.

In other Health Education News, the Health Education Community Committee met on Tuesday, Nov. 25 in the Telstar Library. At that meeting the Committee voted to make a recommendation and request for continued support for the School Health Education Program to the Board of Directors at their Dec. 15 meeting.

On Tuesday, Dec. 9, Health Education Coordinator Mary Ann O'Connor and Sam Libby, Middle School Science Instructor attended a workshop on alcohol education sponsored by the Maine Highway Safety Committee at the Augusta Civic Center. The curriculum which was demonstrated at the Workshop emphasizes the freedom of the individual to make responsible choices regarding the use or nonuse of alcohol and involves the active participation of the student

in the learning process. Plans are currently being made to offer a mini-course to seventh graders at the Middle School on alcohol education, beginning next semester.

The program ended with a prayer by the Chaplain, Marion Bennett. The next meeting will be held Jan. 6, 1981, at the South Waterford Bear Mountain Grange.

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DECEMBER 13, 1980  
Members and Guests B.Y.O.B.  
8:30 p. m. - 12:30  
Reservations Couples \$7.00  
Singles 4.00  
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## North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Smith of Bethel called Friday on Leroy and Pauline Smith. Nice call.

Church was held in the vestry, Sunday, due to repairs and painting and papering up stairs. A sale was held Saturday, not quite as many out as last year. Although it still was a good sale. Pot luck dinner Sunday night. More than 60 were out last week.

Steven and Susan and children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Billings in Rumford this week. Due to our hurricane winds, neither power nor phone.

We went from Wednesday to Saturday morning at 1:15 without power. A terrible wind, they say thousands of cords of timber down. Though we lost wood-pile, the house was saved. Some lost chimneys. The Charles had a tree on their porch and Eddie Nester had eight pine on his house, one went through the roof.

Ed Josephine was in Massachusetts this week due to a member of the family dying. Bill Force is in the Bridgton hospital for a check up.

Callers at Iva Fox's Saturday were Linda Allen, Scottie, Esther Harriman, Violet Plummer, Pauline Smith, Larry Fox, two sons, Peter Fox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hinderson from South Portland were at their camp to cut off two trees. No damage to the rest of his big trees around the camp.

**CUB SCOUTS SAY THANKS**

Cub Scout Pack 566 wishes to thank everyone who donated bottles and cans to their drive last Saturday, with a special thanks to Don Feeney, Irving Brown, Alec Newell, Reggie Brown and Gladden's I. G. A. store for their assistance.

**SCHOOL LUNCH MENU**

S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF DEC. 15

Monday, American chop suey, green beans, raisin bar, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Tuesday: Hot dog in home made bun, French fries, cheese slice, toss salad, peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Pork and gravy, mashed potato, peas, frosted cake, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg-cheese pizza, peanuts and raisins, corn, fresh apple, milk.

Friday: Veal pattie and gravy, mashed potato, carrots, pears, cheese biscuit and butter, milk.

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Good Christmas Gifts  
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6 A. M. — 5 P. M.  
183 MAIN ST.  
743-2123

**TOM RYAN'S TRADING POST**  
OPEN  
9 A. M. — 5 P. M.  
MAIN ST.  
743-5772

**COLONIAL FLOWERS**  
237 MAIN ST.  
743-6553

**WATCH FOR IN-STORE SUNDAY SPECIALS**

## Sunday River

— Jeannine Fleet, Corres. —

The wind blew very hard for a couple days and nights this past week causing damage all around.

The power was off about seven hours in this area. Fred Burk's crew worked day and night clearing ways so to get the power restored as soon as possible.

Sorry to hear and see all the damage done to Mr. and Mrs. Asher Runnels' cars and house during the wind. Hope they will soon be back and settled again.

There are a few Christmas decorations starting to appear on houses, and in windows and are very pretty at night.

Mrs. Nancy Dumais and Mrs. Barbara Yates attended some Christmas fairs and sales on Saturday.

Sent in by Eva Yates:

Dec. 8 and cloudy. It is much warmer and the weatherman says rain. We have enjoyed three nice days since the hurricane winds of Wednesday and Thursday. Our sympathy goes out to our good neighbors, Asher and Helen Runnels, who had both of their cars destroyed as well as a part of their home. Pine trees are nice but they can be wicked, too. I believe they are staying with Deputy Sheriff Williams at this time. The Go Shoes had been on the book for almost a week so got them down, warmed them up and they went to

East Andover Sunday where we had a good dinner and after that a hair cut and a manicure. Will keep the Go Shoes warm as they have to go to Rumford this Wednesday.

Not much news on Bear River Grange. It will meet on Saturday, Dec. 13, in the dining room preceded by a pot luck dinner and there is to be an exchange of gifts. Lady for Lady and Gent for Gent.

Verna Swan of Bryant Pond visited Eva Yates Friday.

Russell and Eva were in Norway on Tuesday as Russell had to have his regular blood check.

The hunting days are over and now the deer can take a rest—of course there are always a few poachers around. Some hunters were lucky and some just wore the soles of their shoes more threadbare and got no meat. Better luck next year—just be thankful you did not get shot.

Here is a tip—if your bananas are too green—put them in a paper bag and put them on top of your refrigerator—see how fast they will ripen.

Keep smiling—dream of Santa Claus and be careful not to take a flip.

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## In and About Bethel

— Virginia Walker, Corres. —

Steve Hastings, Portland, visited his mother, Mrs. Annie Hastings, one day last week.

Mrs. Hope Perkins, Sonoma, Calif., is spending a few months with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey. Edwin Brown is recuperating very well at Rumford Community Hospital following admittance on Saturday with a heart attack.

Rev. and Mrs. Barry Beverage were honored at a welcoming party at the Nazarene Church Sunday noon. They were guests of honor at a dinner and presented a cake and gifts.

Robert Butters, Rhode Island, and Tony Butters, UMO, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters, and attended the wedding of their sister, Lotie.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Blake had as guests Thanksgiving Day, her brother David Lowell and Jason, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lowell, South Redding, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver St. Pierre, Mr. and Mrs. Ray St. Pierre and son, Ryan, and Ms. Debbie St. Pierre, and Wayne Lowell, of Bethel.

A surprise retirement party was given for Avery Angevine by his neighbors on Friday, Dec. 5, at the home of Mrs. Amy Davis. A pot luck supper was enjoyed and several games played, directed by Mrs. Louise Lincoln. Also honored were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Weiden, new neighbors on Evergreen Road. Wayne and Gerry Stuart, former neighbors, came from Portland.

### MUNDT-ALLEN UNIT MET DEC. 9

The Dec. 9 meeting of Mundt-Allen Unit #81 was opened in form by President Ramona Lowe, following which thank you were read from Veterans Memorial Chapel Association and the Veterans Administration Hospital, Togus. Also acknowledged was a congratulatory letter from Sally Deering, Department Vice President, for the Unit having reached their goal in membership.

A report was made on the last Lions Club supper. Ramona Lowe, Energy Chairman, passed out three different brochures on energy, which explained low cost energy savers and listed tips for energy saving in individual households.

Among items discussed was a request from the Rotarians for the Unit to serve a Christmas dinner to 40 or 50 people. It was voted to forego this opportunity due to the holiday season. Discussion was held on the next Lions Club supper, Jan. 6, and on the game party concession. Brought up was the possible purchase of a dishwasher and quotations will be reviewed at the next meeting which is Jan. 13. Members are reminded to bring their American Legion Extension Course tests at that time.

### NEWS FROM WOODSTOCK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Pen Pals, Programs, and Presents! Who says people don't care any more? People do care!

Mrs. Edie Damon, Program Director of Norway Nursing Home and Mrs. Joan Parker, teacher in S. A. D. #44, Grade 2, Bryant Pond, brought happiness and fun to the people in the nursing home and to 21 second grade students in Bryant Pond, as well as to themselves.

The boys and girls were given a pen pal and entered into a part of their second grade language program, letter writing. Many people helped and gave their time and encouragement toward a December field trip when the pen pals would meet each other.

Brenda Mason helped the children make a gift for all 96 patients in the nursing home. People at the nursing home gave each child a candy cane and a decorated Christmas chocolate. Also, they provided a pretty and DELICIOUS red punch and cake to go with the bag lunch the children had brought so as to eat with their new friends.

Linda Stowell gave her time to help and taught the children to sing songs for the folks. She accompanied them with her guitar. Then she played the piano for everyone to sing Christmas carols.

Lorraine Cyr, teacher of Grade 4/5, taught the children two square dances as part of their program. Mothers who helped on the trip were: Jennie Edwards, Linda Pitts, Shari Burnham, Alicia Stevens, and Kathy Taylor. Sharon Felt helped with calls, typing, contacts and encouragement.

Denis Corrin, psychologist, came in shortly before the children's special day arrived and did a class of roll playing and telling them things that they could expect to see on their visit. He brought in a wheel chair which they "rode" in and pushed, taking turns at each. They also took parts of nurses, physical therapists and patients, passing out or taking pretend medicine, getting or giving cold

### SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

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\$11,460 would be received to go toward general government approved expenditures. Total income for the year is estimated to fall \$1,000 short of that amount. In addition, legal costs have exceeded budget estimates by approximately \$1,000. These two items are the primary reason for the estimated \$1,500 additional authorization amount necessary for General Government Operations.

(2) Town Office—This required additional appropriation of \$1,000 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel oil costs for 1980. Approximately \$400 of this amount results from a 1979 bill not received until early in 1980. The remainder is due to underestimating fuel prices for 1980.

(3) Street Lights—This required additional appropriation of \$210 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel adjustment costs in 1980.

(4) Parks and Cemeteries—The over-expenditure of \$210 in this category is due primarily to the cost of removing the old fountain from the Common to eliminate a potentially hazardous situation.

(5) General Assistance—This additional amount of \$500 is required to meet anticipated fuel assistance needs prior to the State Fuel Assistance program becoming effective and to provide assistance in emergency situations.

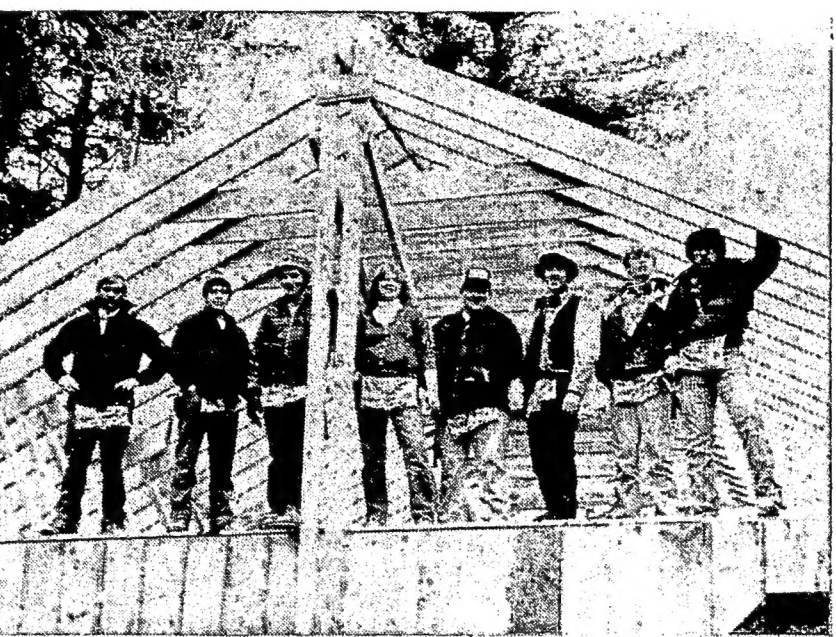
(6) Social Security—This account will have an overage of approximately \$900 due to an error in the computation of estimated social security charges when the budget was prepared and approved at the March Town Meeting.

(7) Airport Operations—required additional authorization of \$600 is due to the cost of using a brush chipper to dispose of brush cut along the sides of the runway by the National Forest Group by the Youth Conservation Group. This project had not been planned for 1980, however, when it became possible for all the cutting to be done at no cost by this group it appeared to be in the best interest of the Town to utilize their services and hire a chipper to dispose of the brush. Should this work not have been undertaken by the YCC, the Town would have had to do the work in the coming year. It cost \$2,000 to \$3,000 higher. It should be noted that wood derived from the cutting project has been sold and income credited to the Airport Account.

(8) Garage Maintenance—This additional required appropriation of \$700 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel and electrical costs at the Town Garage.



**SEVERELY DAMAGED** — The home of Mr. and Mrs. Asher Runnels on the Sunday River Road was extensively damaged by falling trees during the high winds which visited this area last Wednesday and Thursday. The Runnels' two automobiles which were parked outside also received heavy damage.



**N.O.V.A. BUILDING PROJECT** — Construction workers at the storage building being erected at Telstar Regional High School by the NOVA building trades class include, from left to right, the instructor, Clayton Swett; Jeff Parisi, Rumford; Craig Holmquist, Mexico; Carole Bennett and Dana Bean, Telstar; Berl Nesbitt, Walter Smith and Jeff Roy, all of Rumford. Absent when the photo was taken were Bill Gill of Telstar and Steve Roberts, Rumford. The building is serving as a multi-educational project as the lumber was saved from logs cut and yarded by forestry students and all construction work is being done by NOVA students as part of a two-year high school training program. It is estimated that S. A. D. #44 is saving \$8,000 by having students build the structure. N.O.V.A. provides vocational education programs for secondary students in School Administrative Districts #21, 43 and 44, and in the Rumford school system.

**FOOD-CRAFT FAIR SUNDAY AT LEDGEVIEW**  
The Auxiliary of Ledgeview Memorial Home will be sponsoring a Food and Craft Fair on Sunday, Dec. 14, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. in the Anderson Auditorium at the nursing home in West Paris. Table space is still available. For information please call 674-2250.

**Locke Mills Union Church**  
Rev. David Wuori  
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist  
Church Services, 9:00 a. m.  
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.  
Bible Study, Thursday nights 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

**Unitarian-Universalist Church**  
Rev. Herbert Weeks  
Sunday: 9 a. m. Worship Service  
10:30 a. m. Sunday School.

### NOTES FROM Evans Notch

**White Mountain National Forest**  
As most people are probably well aware, strong winds on Dec. 4 and 5 caused widespread damage to surrounding forest areas. Numerous softwood areas were particularly hard hit. Lands of the White Mountain National Forest were most severely damaged in the towns of Albany, Stoneham, Stow, Maine and Chatham, and other Carroll County towns in New Hampshire. The Forest Service is proceeding with salvage of the blowdown as quickly as possible to attempt to keep further timber losses to a minimum. To accomplish this, we are presently estimating volumes of blowdown timber and will be disposing of the material through small salvage sales. These sales will be sold by sealed bids following a 10 day advertisement period or negotiated for sale to individuals. The timber will be sold on an estimated cruise of the volume and will be paid for on this basis. The material will not be scaled after removal, therefore interested parties must be aware of the possibilities of under-run or over-run. Anyone interested in acquiring salvage stumpage rights should contact the District Ranger at our office on Bridge Street to be put on a list of prospective purchasers who will be sent bids. The first of these salvage sales is not expected to be advertised for three to six weeks.

In another matter related to the blowdown, we remind anyone who is looking for firewood that Free Use Permits are required before any material may be taken from National Forest lands. These permits will allow the holder of the permit to gather up to two cords

## CHURCH NEWS

**Bethel United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor  
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213  
Organist, Mrs. Susan Gilman  
Administrative Board Chairman, Richard L. Davis  
Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. Shirley Powell

Sunday: 9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.  
Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the church.  
Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.  
UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

**West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ**  
Church St., Bethel  
Rev. Norman F. Rust  
Interim Pastor  
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday: 9:30 a. m. Church School (K-Grade 5), 9:15-10:15.  
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.  
Wednesday: Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12), 5:30 p. m. in the vestry.

**Our Lady of the Snows**  
Rt. 26, Bethel  
Rev. Donald R. Proulx  
Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.

**Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance**  
D. N. Larson, Pastor  
Sunday: 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.

Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.  
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.  
Evening Service, 6 p. m.  
Monday: Youths, men and women, Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.  
Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Thursday, 6:30 p. m. Youth Bible Study at Bruce Swan's.

**Bethel Church of the Nazarene**  
Church Street  
Rev. Barry Beverage  
Sunday: 9:30 a. m. for all ages in church (adults), 9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m.  
Youth Meeting, 7 p. m.  
For transportation or information for any service call 824-2872.

**West Bethel Union Church**  
Cathy Littlefield, Organist  
Sunday: 9:30 a. m. Church School, 9:30-10:30.  
Choir rehearsal, 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship, 9:45 a. m.  
Ladies Chapel Aid meets the second Wednesday of each month.  
Youth Fellowship, Grades 5-12, Thursday, 5:30 p. m. Church Vestry.

**Pleasant Valley Bible Church**  
B. R. Griffith, Pastor  
Harriet Stowell, Organist  
Sunday: 9:30 a. m. Church School, 9 a. m. Children's classes at Richard Walker's. Adult class at Dennis Kanten's.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.  
Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p. m. at Kanten's.

**Locke Mills Union Church**  
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Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.  
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**BETHEL LIBRARY**  
Bethel—Virginia Keniston  
Phone 824-2520  
Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday, 1-3.  
Friday evening, 4-8.  
Story Hour for Pre-School Children, 3-5 years, Thursday, 10:15 a. m.

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### NORTHERN OXFORD HEALTH & SERVICE COUNCIL MEETS

The November regular meeting of the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council was called to order by President Barbara Weeks with the following present: Sandra Cohen, Merton Brown, Barbara Weeks, Becky Shaw, Shirley Powell, Steve Kraus, Don Lewis, Rich Antell, John Gray, Carolyn Holden, Jan Stowell, Melody Bonenna, Don Bean, Jerry O'Connor and Dorla Fudge.

Several routine matters concerning the Bethel Area Health Center were discussed. The major portion of the meeting was spent with the architect, Don Lewis, who discussed various alternatives for bringing Bethel Area Health Center into state and federal compliance.

The next meeting is scheduled for Dec. 18 and all are encouraged to attend.

**Bryant Pond Baptist Church**  
Pastor: Linwood Hanson  
Sunday: 9:15: Sunday School.  
10:30: Worship Service.  
6:00: Youth & Adult Service.  
Wednesday: 7:00: Bible Study & Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, AWANA CLUBS: 3:15 to 4:45, Sparks (K-Gr. 2); 6:00 to 8:00, Chums, Pals, Guards and Pioneers (3-8).

**Newry Community Church**  
Newry, Maine  
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor  
Robert Duran, Organist  
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00.  
Sunday, 7 p. m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's.

**Assembly of God**  
Updon  
Rev. Don Lavasseur  
Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Worship Service.

**Rumford Area Bible Speaks**  
Rumford Corner  
Pastor Bob Colby  
Sunday: 2:30 p. m. Service; 6:30 p. m. Youth Group.

Thursday: 10 a. m. God's Complete Women Study, Eleanor Brooks, Main St., Bethel.  
Friday: 7:30 p. m. Service.  
Sunday: 8:00 p. m. WRUM-FM 96, "Telephone Time."

Monday-Thursday evenings, 6 p. m.: Videotape Bible School, 529 Prospect Ave., Rumford, Call 369.  
For information or counseling, call 384-4573.

**OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH**  
Albany Congregational Church  
Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor  
4:00-4:30: Worship Service.  
East Stoneham Congregational Church  
Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor  
9:00 a. m. Worship Service.

**North Waterford Congregational Church**  
Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor  
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.  
First Congregational Church  
Andover  
Rev. David Wuori

Organist, Mrs. Linda Burnham  
Choir Director, Mrs. Leatrice Myrland  
Worship Leader, Arthur C. Myrland  
Sunday: 11 a. m. Worship Service.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Choir Practice.

**Ladies Circle—Every other Wednesday, 1:30 p. m. C. E. B.**  
Calvary Congregational Church  
Route 5  
Andover, Maine  
Rev. Leon R. Strout, Interim Pastor

Sunday: 9:30 a. m. Church School; 10:45, Worship; 7:00, Evening Service.  
Wednesday: 6:30, Choir; 7:30, Prayer and Praise.

Wednesday services are held at the home of the Chesley White at East Andover.

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**FOR SALE** — Enamel 118 Woodstove Green Jetul three woodstoves, needs new burn burners, \$600.00; black metal fireplace shield, \$40.00. Gersens, 824-2479.

**1972 Scout, 6 cyl., auto.** transmission 4x4 with locking hubs. Excellent mechanical condition, body quite sound, no rattles, no accidents, 75,000 actual miles, seldom used off highway, never with plow. \$1,695. 824-2222, Ted and Joan Chadbourn.

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## NORTHERN OXFORD HEALTH &amp; SERVICE COUNCIL MEETS

The November regular meeting of the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council was called to order by President Barbara Weeks with the following present: Sandra Cohen, Merton Brown, Barbara Weeks, Becky Shaw, Shirley Powell, Steve Kraus, Don Lewis, Rich Antell, John Gray, Carolyn Holden, Jan Stowell, Melody Bonema, Don Bean, Jerry O'Connor and Dorla Fudge.

Several routine matters concerning the Bethel Area Health Center were discussed. The major portion of the meeting was spent with the architect, Don Lewis, who discussed various alternatives for bringing Bethel Area Health Center into state and federal compliance.

The next meeting is scheduled for Dec. 18 and all are encouraged to attend.

## Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Pastor: Linwood Hanson

9:15 Sunday School

10:30 Worship Service

6:00 Youth & Adult Service

Wednesday 7:00 Bible Study & Prayer Meeting

Thursday AWANA CLUBS: 3:15 to 4:45, Sparks (K-Gr. 2); 6:00 to 8:00, Chums, Pals, Guards and Pioneers (G-3-8)

## Newry Community Church

Newry, Maine

Rodney Hanson, Pastor

Robert Duran, Organist

Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00

Thursday, 7 p.m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's

## Assembly of God

Upton

Rev. Don Lavoie

Sunday, 2:30 p.m. Worship Service

## Rumford Area Bible Speaks

Rumford Corner

Pastor Bob Colby

Sunday, 2:30 p.m. Service; 6:30 p.m. Youth Group

Thursday, 10 a.m. God's Complete Women Study, Eleanor Brooks, Main St., Bethel

Friday, 7:30 p.m. Service

Sunday, 2:30 p.m. WRUM-FM 96 "Telephone Time"

Monday-Thursday evenings, 6 p.m. Videotape Bible School, 520 Prospect Ave., Rumford, Call 866-0447

## OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

Albany

Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor

4:00-4:30, Worship Service

East Stoneham

Congregational Church

Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

First Congregational Church

United Church of Christ

Andover

Rev. David Wuori

Organist: Mrs. Leon Burnham

Church Director

Mrs. Leatrice Mysirall

Worship Leader

Arthur C. Myhrall

Sunday

11 a.m. Worship Service

Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Ladies Circle—Every other Wednesday, 1:30 p.m. C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church

Route 5

Andover, Maine

Rev. Leon R. Strout

Interim Pastor

Sunday: 9:30, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 7:00, Evening Service

Wednesday: 8:30, Choir; 7:30, Prayer and Praise

Wednesday services are held at the home of the Chesley Whites at East Andover.

## Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Dec. 14: Subject—God the Preserver of Man. Golden Text: Psalms 141:2—... mine eyes are unto thee, O God the Lord: in thee is my trust.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Bethel, Me., holds Sunday morning services. Also, the Bethel Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stewart St., off Alpine St.

Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Jotul 118 Woodstove Green Enamel, used three winters, needs new burn plates, \$690.00. black metal fireplace shield, \$40.00. Gersens, 824-2479.

1972 Scout, 6 cyl., auto, transmission 4x4 with locking hubs. Excellent mechanical condition, body quite sound, no rattles, no accidents. 75,000 actual miles, seldom used off highway, never with plow. \$1,695. 824-2222, Ted and Kay Chadbourne.

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## Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Dawn Newell and Kassi Salway returned to school Monday after being ill the past week with a "flu bug."

Mrs. Robert Freestone and family and a friend of Marshfield, Mass., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halle and children spent Saturday with the William Bancrofts. They all attended the Gilbert - McElmurry wedding in Andover and the reception at the West Bethel Grange Hall.

Mrs. Thelma Merrill of Norway was a dinner guest Sunday of the Bancrofts and later they all did some shopping in Gorham, N. H. Mrs. Agnes Lahti and daughter and little granddaughter of Waterford were callers of Bill and Phyllis Tuesday evening.

Sympathy of this neighborhood is extended to the family of Mrs. Dorothy Beaupre who passed away Tuesday.

Mrs. Buzzie Lapham and Tim took Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grenier to the Rainbow Mall shopping in Portland, Sunday. On Tuesday, with Mrs. Marion Arsenault of Norway and Mrs. Muriel Kimball of Waterford she was in Lewiston where they all had medical check-ups.

A few brave souls were on the pond Sunday doing some ice fishing and some skating. The pond has been talking to us lately.

Very little damage here from the high winds last week, but we were some glad to have the electric power restored Friday night.

## FOR SALE

Our deerkins gloves are in! We are only restocking three style mocassins. The rest are on sale 20% off on already low priced mocassins. Wanted deerkins, cow hides, furs, etc. Neil D. Olson, East Bethel, Me. Tel. 824-2158.

Have received shipment of Hokey's in time for Christmas giving. The No. 1 carpet sweeper, L & F Country Store, West Bethel, Maine. 836-2559.

1974 VW Super Beetle - fiberglass fenders - no rust - roof rack - 3 extra rims - 7 extra tires - 65,000 mi. - AM/FM. Call Roger at 824-2131 or 824-2269.

ATTENTION MOBILE HOME OWNERS: End LEAKS and HOLES. BELONG off heavy snow forever with our maintenance free PITCHED A-ROOF. Also have that needed entrance, bedroom, or utility room with our custom prefabricated ADD-A-ROOMS. Either one installed all winter at greatly reduced prices just to keep our factory open. Have them now and really save. Financing available. Free 1981 CATALOG and PRICES. Call Toll Free 1-800-452-1940. 9 AM to 8 PM or write Maine-Wide, P.O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine. 04303.

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MOPEDS, new and used. Denison's, Main Street, Bethel. 824-3344.

CARPET CLEANING by Service-Master - the True Professionals in your area. Call ServiceMaster for a free estimate. 743-2168.

## FOR RENT

LEGION HALL, Vernon Street, available for rental for receptions, wedding parties, anniversaries, etc. 5100w

Furnished apartment, 1 bedroom, in town, convenient and very nice. Security deposit and references required. Call 824-2465.

SKIERS: For Rent - Bethel Village - 1 g. house, 4 bdrms., sleeps 8-10, 2 1/2 baths, fully furnished, complete kitchen. Available Sun-Fri., noon including Feb. vacation. Call week end evens. 824-2925.

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT - Main Street. Contact Lillian Lowell, Bethel Savings Bank, 824-2117, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

FOR RENT - Ranch home on Twitchell Pond, 3 bedrooms, lg. lot. \$275. 824-3383.

Attention Skiers - For Rent - probably starting in Jan. or Feb. two houses both less than two years old. Neil D. Olson, East Bethel, Me., 875-5765.

Bethel Village - downstairs apartment, 5 rooms, stove, refrigerator. Security deposit and references required. Inquire Strout Realty, Andover 392-1191.

## REAL ESTATE

Sunday River Ski Area - 3 bedroom chalet on the mountain. Loft, full basement, fireplace, built in 1972. \$42,000. 824-2187.

ROUND POND - Greenwood. Two bedroom, living room, kitchenette, porch, electric heat, fireplace, full bath. Garage, office, woodshed, boathouse. Year-round living on the lake and near ski slope. \$87,400. Milton Mills, Realtor. Bryant Pond, Tel. 674-4214.

Unique renovated Bethel home. 8 rms., 1 1/2 baths, pine paneled kitchen, 2 fireplaces, attached 3-story barn, 1 1/2 acres close to center of Bethel appraised in the low \$60,000. Call 824-3344.

LAND FOR SALE - In town, approximately 2 acres, end of dead end street. Call 824-3344.

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## CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY, DEC. 14

The Sunday School Christmas program at United Methodist Church will be presented on Sunday morning, Dec. 14, during the regular worship service. Immediately following, a family dinner featuring roast turkey, will be held. All families are invited to attend and, if not solicited, please bring a hot dish, salad or vegetables.

## SQUARE DANCE

The Molokkett Mixers will hold a class square dance on Friday, Dec. 12, at 8 o'clock at the Rumford Elementary School. The caller will be Skip Moore with rounds cued by Wally Weeks. The Wheel and Deal Shop will be on hand with their display of square dance clothing and accessories.

after being without it since early Wednesday evening.

"The best gift of all: the presence of a happy family all wrapped up in one another."

## UNITED METHODIST WOMEN HELD MEETING DEC. 4

The United Methodist Women met at the home of Ethel Ward on Dec. 4 for a pot luck luncheon at noon.

President Muriel Paudi opened the meeting with a beautiful poem "The Legend of the Poinsettia." Rev. Cummings offered the prayer. The state of officers for '81 is: President, Muriel Paudi; Vice President, Hulda Stevens; Secretary, Ethel Ward; Treasurer, Sarah Stevens; Assistance Treasurer, Elsie Davis; Missions, Edna York; Sunshine, Francis Saunders and Sarah Stevens; Cohostesses of Gift Shop, Sarah Stevens and Ethel Ward.

Elsie Davis reported proceeds from the Gift Shop and Fall Fair were "over the top." Rev. Cummings reported that Dot Abbott is bringing the church history up to date.

Christmas boxes will be packed at Ethel Ward's Dec. 12.

The next meeting will be at Judy Barker's, Jan. 8. Program is "Prayer and Self-Defense." Hostesses, Sarah Stevens and Sylvia Lutton.

## HELP WANTED

R.N.'s - L.P.N.'s - E.M.T.'s to do mobile paramedical exams in and around Bethel-Locke Mills area. Part time work, very flexible hours. Call 1 800-258-9710.

## WANTED

WANTED - 8 oz. Cool Whip or 1 pound margarine bowls, with lids. Call 836-2872.

WANT TO BUY - wood, roadside. Both hard and soft. Also wanted wood to cut with a tractor. Tel. 875-3971.

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## In and About Bethel

— Virginia Walker, Corres. —

Steve Hastings, Portland, visited his mother, Mrs. Annie Hastings, one day last week.

Mrs. Hope Perkins, Sonora, Calif., is spending a few months with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey.

Edwin Brown is recuperating very well at Rumford Community Hospital following admittance on Saturday with a heart attack.

Rev. and Mrs. Barry Beverage were honored at a welcoming party at the Nazarene Church Sunday noon. They were guests of honor at a dinner and presented a cake and gifts.

Robert Butters, Rhode Island, and Tony Butters, UMO, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters, and attended the wedding of their sister, Lotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Blake had as guests Thanksgiving Day, her brother David Lowell and Jason, Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lowell, South Redding, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver St. Pierre, Mr. and Mrs. Ray St. Pierre and son, Ryan, and Ms. Debbie St. Pierre, and Wayne Lowell, of Bethel.

A surprise retirement party was given for Avery Angevine by his neighbors on Friday, Dec. 5, at the home of Mrs. Amy Davis. A pot luck supper was enjoyed and several games played, directed by Mrs. Louise Lincoln. Also honored were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Weiden, new neighbors on Evergreen Road. Wayne and Gerry Stuart, former neighbors, came from Portland.

### MUNDT-ALLEN UNIT MET DEC. 9

The Dec. 9 meeting of Muntt-Allen Unit #81 was opened in form by President Ramona Lowe, following which thank you's were read from Veterans Memorial Chapel Association and the Veterans Administration Hospital, Togus. Also acknowledged was a congratulatory letter from Sally Deering, Department Vice President, for the Unit having reached their goal in membership.

A report was made on the last Lions Club supper, Ramona Lowe, Energy Chairman, passed out three different brochures on energy, which explained low cost energy savers and listed tips for energy saving in individual households.

Among items discussed was a request from the Rotarians for the Unit to serve a Christmas dinner to 40 or 50 people. It was voted to forego this opportunity due to the holiday season. Discussion was held on the next Lions Club supper, Jan. 6, and on the game party concession. Brought up was the possible purchase of a dishwasher and quotations will be reviewed at the next meeting which is Jan. 13. Members are reminded to bring their American Legion Extension Course tests at that time.

### NEWS FROM WOODSTOCK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Pen Pals, Programs, and Presents! Who says people don't care any more? People do care!

Mrs. Eddie Damon, Program Director of Norway Nursing Home and Mrs. Joan Parker, teacher in S. A. D. #44, Grade 2, Bryant Pond, brought happiness and fun to the people in the nursing home and to 21 second grade students in Bryant Pond, as well as to themselves.

The boys and girls were given a pen pal and entered into a part of their second grade language program, letter writing.

Many people helped and gave their time and encouragement toward a December field trip when the pen pals would meet each other.

Brenda Mason helped the children make a gift for all 96 patients in the nursing home. People at the nursing home gave each child a candy cane and a decorated Christmas chocolate. Also, they provided a pretty and DELICIOUS bag lunch the children had brought so as to eat with their new friends. Linda Stowell gave her time to help and taught the children to sing songs for the folks. She accompanied them with her guitar. Then she played the piano for everyone to sing Christmas carols.

Lorraine Cyr, teacher of Grade 4/5, taught the children two square dances as part of their program.

Mothers who helped on the trip were: Jennie Edwards, Linda Pitts, Shari Burnham, Alicia Stevens, and Kathy Taylor. Sharon Felt helped with calls, typing, contacts and encouragement.

Denis Corrin, psychologist, came in shortly before the children's special day arrived and told a class of roll playing and telling them things that they could expect to see on their visit. He brought in a wheel chair which they "rode" in and pushed, taking turns at each. They also took parts of nurses, physical therapists and nurses, passing out or taking pretend medicine, getting or giving cold

## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

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\$11,460 would be received to go toward general government operations expenditures. Total income for the year is estimated to fall \$1,000 short of that amount. In addition, legal costs have exceeded budget estimates by approximately \$1,000. These two items are the primary reason for the estimated \$1,500 additional authorization amount necessary for General Government Operations.

(2) Town Office—This required additional appropriation of \$1,000 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel oil costs for 1980. Approximately \$400 of this amount results from a 1979 bill not received until early in 1980. The remainder is due to underestimating fuel prices for 1980.

(3) Street Lights—This required additional appropriation of \$210 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel adjustment costs in 1980.

(4) Parks and Cemeteries—The over-expenditure of \$210 in this category is due primarily to the cost of removing the old fountain from the Common to eliminate a potentially hazardous situation.

(5) General Assistance—This additional amount of \$500 is required to meet anticipated fuel assistance needs prior to the State Fuel Assistance program becoming effective and to provide assistance in emergency situations.

(6) Social Security—This account will have an overage of approximately \$900 due to an error in the computation of estimated social security charges when the budget was prepared and approved at the March Town Meeting.

(7) Airport Operations—required additional authorization of \$600 is due to the cost of using a brush chipper to dispose of brush cut along the sides of the runway by the Youth Conservation Group of the National Forest Service. This project had not been planned for 1980, however, when it became possible for all the cutting to be done at no cost by this group it appeared to be in the best interest of the Town to utilize their services and hire a chipper to dispose of the brush. Should this work not have been undertaken

by the YCC, the Town would have had to do the work in the coming year at a cost of \$2,000 to \$3,000 higher. It should be noted that wood derived from the cutting project has been sold and income credited to the Airport Account.

(8) Garage Maintenance—This additional required appropriation of \$700 is necessary because of higher than anticipated fuel and electrical costs at the Town Garage.

HIGH WINDS of Wednesday night, Dec. 3, caused this damage at "Greenwood Cabins," off Route 26, Locke Mills. A cabin is shown perched atop the roots of large

### LEARN-TO-SKI PROGRAM AT SUNDAY RIVER A SUCCESS

An overwhelming acceptance by the non-skiing public to Sunday River Ski Area's offer to introduce beginners to skiing last week end, has prompted Sunday River to extend the free offer to include the week ends of Dec. 13 and 14, and Dec. 20 and 21.

Persons new to the sport of skiing receive a free beginner lesson and free rental equipment for the day. Skiers who introduce a friend to skiing will receive a discount on their lift ticket for the day. Registration for the learn-to-ski program is from 8-10 a. m. in the Cascade Lounge at the Sunday River Lodge. Lessons begin at 10:30 a. m. and conclude at 12:15. Those beginners wishing to continue skiing may purchase a half day ticket for the remainder of the day and rentals are free for the afternoon hours.

Over 70 persons ages 4 1/2 to 55, learned to ski at the area last week end. Friends who introduced them were able to enjoy the week end skiing intermediate to advanced terrain from summit to base—a full 1,450' vertical. Despite the lack of natural snowfall the past two weeks, Sunday River has been able to produce man-made snow over three trails with an average base depth of 4 to 36".

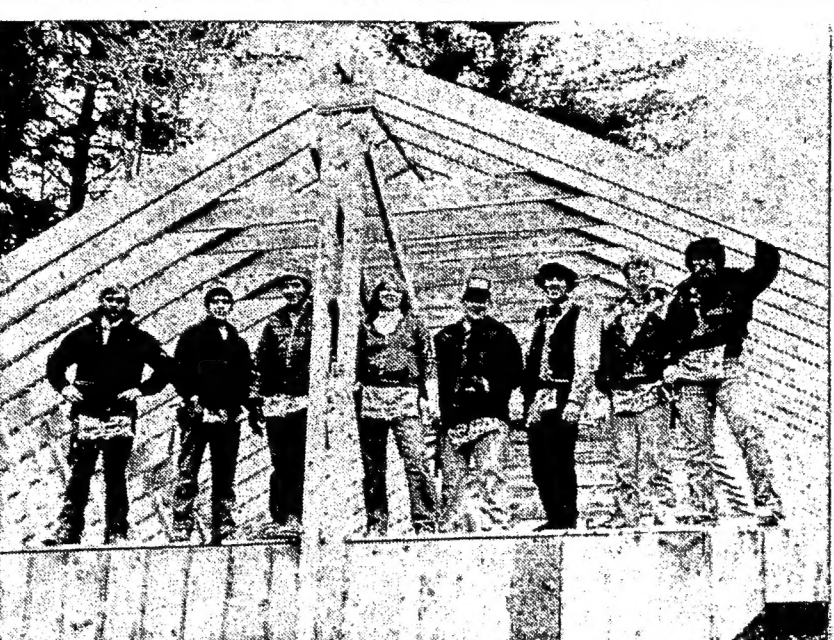
drinks and pushing or answering buzzers.

Everyone had such a wonderful time that breaking up was really hard to do! As one girl said, her pen pal cried when she had to leave.

Letha Woodworth, Activity Coordinator at Norway Nursing Home, worked closely with Mrs. Damon on this program.



SEVERELY DAMAGED — The home of Mr. and Mrs. Asher Runnels on the Sunday River Road was extensively damaged by falling trees during the high winds which visited this area last Wednesday and Thursday. The Runnels' two automobiles which were parked outside also received heavy damage.



N.O.V.A. BUILDING PROJECT — Construction workers at the storage building being erected at the Nova Regional High School by the Telstar Building trades class include, from left to right, the instructor, Clayton Swett; Jeff Parisi, Rumford; Craig Holmquist, Mexico; Carole Bennett and Dana Bean, Telstar; Berl Nesbit, Walter Smith and Jeff Roy, all of Rumford. Absent when the photo was taken were Bill Gill of Telstar and Steve Roberts, Rumford. The building is serving as a multi-educational project as the lumber was saved from logs cut and yarded by forestry students and all construction work is being done by NOVA students as part of a two-year high school training program. It is estimated that S. A. D. #44 is saving \$8,000 by having students build the structure. N.O.V.A. provides vocational education programs for secondary students in School Administrative Districts #21, 43 and 44, and in the Rumford school system.

FOOD-CRAFT FAIR SUNDAY AT LEDGEVIEW The Auxiliary of Ledgeview Memorial Home will be sponsoring a Food and Craft Fair on Sunday, Dec. 14, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. in the Anderson Auditorium at the nursing home in West Paris. Table space is still available. For information please call 674-2250.

### BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Artifacts of Christmases past, the singing of old Christmas favorites and refreshments of old-time Christmas goodies were among the features of the December meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held last Thursday evening in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. This was followed by a slide presentation given by Society Director Stanley R. Howe on his experiences at the Twenty Second Annual Seminar in Historical Administration at Colonial Williamsburg, where he spent the month of June at Williamsburg studying historical administration, discussed the impact of the seminar experience upon him and reported that it had resulted in a number of recommendations to strengthen the Society and the operations of the Moses Mason Museum. His slides provided numerous impressions regarding the administration of agencies at Colonial Williamsburg and at various other sites in Virginia including ones in Jamestown, Petersburg, Richmond, Newport News and Charlottesville.

During the business portion of the meeting, Vice President Donald G. Bennett announced the forthcoming meeting of the Program Committee and requested that anyone with suggestions for the 1981 program to give them to the Committee. He also announced that the December newsletter would deal with Church Street through the years and if anyone has photographs or anecdotes to see Rosalind Chapman who is writing the article or call the Society at 824-2908. Bennett mentioned that the artifact of the month was a work board for hand work used more than a century ago which was the gift of Earlon Keniston.

### NOTES FROM Evans Notch

White Mountain National Forest

As most people are probably well aware, strong winds on Dec. 4 and 5 caused widespread damage to surrounding forest areas. Numerous softwood areas were particularly hard hit. Lands of the White Mountain National Forest were most severely damaged in the towns of Albany, Stonham, Slow, Maine and Chatham, and other Carroll County towns in New Hampshire. The Forest Service is proceeding with salvage of the blowdown as quickly as possible to attempt to keep further timber losses to a minimum. To accomplish this, we are presently estimating volumes of blowdown timber and will be disposing of the material through small salvage sales. These sales will be sold by sealed bids following a 10 day advertisement period or negotiating for sale to individuals. The timber will be sold on an estimated basis of the volume and will be paid for on this basis. The material will not be sealed after removal, therefore interested parties must be aware of the possibilities of underbids or overbids. Anyone interested in acquiring salvage stumpage rights should contact the District Ranger at our office on Bridge Street to be put on a list of prospective purchasers who will be sent bids. The first of these salvage sales is not expected to be advertised for three to six weeks.

In another matter related to the blowdown, we remind anyone who is looking for firewood that Free Use Permits are required before any material may be taken from National Forest lands. These permits will allow the holder of the permit to gather up to two cords

## CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church

Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor  
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213

Organist, Mrs. Susan Gines  
Administrative Board Chairman,  
Richard L. Davis

Sunday School Superintendent,  
Mrs. Shirley Powell

Sunday:  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the church.

Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.

UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Ladies' meeting prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

West Parish Congregational Church  
Church St., Bethel  
Rev. Norman F. Rust

Interim Pastor  
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:  
Church School (K-Grade 5), 9:15-10:15.

Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.  
Wednesday: Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12), 5:30 p. m. in the vestry.

Our Lady of the Snows  
Rt. 26, Bethel  
Rev. Donald R. Proulx

Saturday: 4:30, Anticipated Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance  
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three years olds through adults.

Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.  
Evening Service, 6 p. m.  
Monday: Youths, men and women, Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m., for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Thursday, at 6:30 p. m. Youth Bible Study, by Bruce Swan's.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene  
Church Street  
Rev. Barry (for all ages)

Sunday: Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m.

Y. M. C. A. Youth Meeting, 7 p. m.  
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel United Church  
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister  
Cathy Littlefield, Organist

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Choir rehearsal, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 9:45 a. m.

Ladies Chapel Aid meets the second Wednesday of each month.

Youth Fellowship, Grades 5-12, Thursday, 5:30 p. m. Church Vestry.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church  
B. R. Griffith, Pastor  
Harriet Stowell, Organist

Sunday:  
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Children's classes at Richard Walker's. Adult class at Dennis Kanten's.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.  
Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p. m. at Kanten's.

Locke Mills Union Church  
Rev. David Wuori  
Mrs. Richard Meville, Organist

Church Services, 9:00 a. m.  
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.

Bible Study, Thursday nights 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

Bryant Pond Unitarian-Universalist Church  
Rev. Herbert Weeks  
Sunday: 9 a. m. Worship Service 10:30 a. m. Sunday School.

of hardwood or softwood pulpwood quality material which is dead and on the ground. This material may only be used as home heating for the blowdown. Softwood sawlogs (blowdown material) may not be gathered by holders of a Free Use Permit.

Christmas trees are also available on National Forest lands. Christmas tree seals, available for \$1, allow an individual to cut a live tree off National Forest land. If a person wishes a top for a blowdown tree for a Christmas tree, no permit or seal is required.

The Forest Service presently is seeking applicants for two cooks positions in the Bog Brook YCC Camp for next summer. The positions will involve ordering and preparing food for a 40-person YCC camp for the eight-week period of approximately July through August. Individuals wishing further information and job applications are encouraged to contact the District Ranger.

Dennis Kanten  
Timber Management Assistant

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## NORTHERN OXFORD HEALTH & SERVICE COUNCIL MEETS

The November regular meeting of the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council was called to order by President Barbara Weeks with the following present: Sandra Cohen, Merton Brown, Barbara Weeks, Becky Shaw, Shirley Rich, Antell, John Gray, Carolyn Holden, Jan Stowell, Melody Bonnema, Don Bean, Jerry O'Connor and Dorla Fudge.

Several routine matters concerning the Bethel Area Health Center were discussed. The major portion of the meeting was spent with the architect, Don Lewis, who discussed various alternatives for bringing Bethel Area Health Center into state and federal compliance.

The next meeting is scheduled for Dec. 18 and all are encouraged to attend.

### Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Pastor: Linwood Hanson

Sunday:  
9:15: Sunday School.

10:30: Worship Service.

6:00: Youth & Adult Service.

Wednesday: 7:00: Bible Study & Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, A.W.A.N.A. CLUBS: 3:15 to 4:45, Sparks (K-Gr. 2); 6:00 to 8:00, Chums, Pals, Guards and Pioneers (G. 3-8).

Newry Community Church  
9373.

Newry, Maine  
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor

Robert Duran, Organist

Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00.

Thursday, 7 p. m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's.

Assembly of God  
Upton

Rev. Don Lavasseur

Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Worship Service.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks  
Rumford Corner

Pastor Bob Colby

Sunday: 2:30 p. m. Service; 6:30 p. m. Youth Group.

Monday: 10 a. m. God's Complete Women Study, Eleanor Brooks, Main St., Bethel.

Friday: 7:30 p. m. Service.

Sunday: 8:00 p. m. WRUM-FM 96. "Telephone Time."

Monday-Thursday evenings, 6 p. m.: Videotape Bible School, 620 Prospect Ave., Rumford, Call 369.

For information or counseling, call 364-4573.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

Albany Congregational Church

Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor

4:00-4:30, Worship Service.

East Stoneham Congregational Church

Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor

9:00 a. m. Worship Service

North Waterford Congregational Church

Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor

10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

First Congregational Church  
Unifed Church of Christ  
Andover

Rev. David Wuori

Organist, Mrs. Linda Burnham

Choir Director, Mrs. Leatrice Myrshall

Worship Leader, Arthur C. Myrshall

Sunday:  
11 a. m. Worship Service.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Choir Practice.

Ladies Circle—Every other Wednesday, 1:30 p. m. C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church  
Route 5  
Andover, Maine

Rev. Leon R. Strout,  
Interim Pastor

Sunday: 9:30, Church School; 10:45, Worship; 7:00, Evening Service.

Wednesday: 6:30, Choir; 7:30, Prayer and Praise.

Wednesday services are held at the home of the Chesley Whites at East Andover.

Christian Science Services  
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Dec. 14: Subject—God the Preserver of Man. Golden Text: Psalms 141:8—mine eyes are unto thee, O God the Lord.

In these my trust:  
First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years.

At Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.

Sunday Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

BETHEL LIBRARY  
Librarian—Virginia Keniston  
Phone 824-2520  
Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday, 1-5.  
Friday evening, 4-8.  
Story Hour for Pre-School Children, 3-5 years, Thursday, 10-11 a. m.

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Cards of Thanks or In Memoriam, \$3.50.

Resolutions of Respect, \$5.75.

Tel. (207) 824-2444.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Jenol 118 Wood stove Green Enamel, used three winters, needs new burn plates, \$690.00; black metal fireplace shield, \$40.00. Gersens, 824-2479.

1972 Scout, 6 cyl., auto, transmission 4x4 with locking hubs. Excellent mechanical condition, body excellent sound, no rattles, no accidents. 75,000 actual miles, seldom used off highway, never with plow. \$1,695. 824-2222, Ted and Kay Chaddbourne.

Christmas trees, quality natural, \$2 and up. John Carter, 824-2230. 824-2503 or 824-2692.

CARPET grime fighter—Blue Lustre—makes carpets look bright. Rent electric shampooer, \$1 and \$2 machines. Brooks Bros. Inc., 824-2158.

FOR SALE—Leather articles for Christmas. Variety on hand or made to order. Also knitting. Mary Billings, Box 54, Bryant Pond, Maine 04212.

FOR SALE—Restaurant booths, 3 single, 1 double, \$75. Westinghouse 17" color TV, \$175.00. Tel. 824-2810.

160 cm Rongissol Strato Skis—bindings—44" A & T poles—\$30. —good condition. 824-2954.

FOR SALE—X-Mas Trees, \$4.00. Mike Jodrey, N. Main St., 824-2239.

1967 Chevy, new stocker, and all good tires, runs good. 2 1/2 inch mag. tires all mounted on slotted rims. Call 824-2641.

FOR SALE—1976 4x4 Subaru 1989 Chrysler convertible, as is, priced to sell. 2 coal furnaces, converted to wood, hot air registers, etc. Large assortment of steel roofing; compartment box trailer; steam cleaner; 1979 Chevy Sport Van, low mileage, 6 cyl. standard plus other items. Call 824-2166, G. A. Nickerson.

HOME MADE BREAD—Whole grain bread made fresh daily. Please phone. Carole Corliss, SEBOUTS and BREADS, at 824-3320 to place your order. Also on sale at Edelweiss.

FOR SALE—Apartment size refrigerator, good condition. Call Pat Doonen, 824-2400, after 5 and week ends.

MOBILE HOME for sale, furnished. Doonen's Trailer Park, Call Pat Doonen, 824-2400, after 5 and week ends.

Cleaned whole and ground oats and corn for sale. Oats \$7.50 for 90 lbs. whole, ground \$7.75 for 90 lb. bag. Corn \$10.25 for 100 lbs. whole, \$10.75 for ground. 15c credit on all good grain bags. Open Saturdays and other days by appointment. Winthrop, Dave or Jennifer McCullough, 377-6652. Reduced for quantities.

Turkish Oriental Rug—Size 10'x6'11". To see, call 824-3344.

FOR SALE—Bethel, Maine, 3. Ranald Stevens, Bethel, Maine, Tel. 824-2491.

COME DRIVE A BARGAIN TODAY

1981 Mazda Subdowner, 1/2 ton, 5 speed, INSTOCK! SAVE.

1980 Dodge D-200 Van, 6 cyl., 4 sp., OD, 6,800 miles. All original, like new. \$5,495.







## West Bethel

The Pleasant Valley Bible Church welcomed several out of town guests at their Sunday morning service, following Sunday School classes in the basement. The trio, Linda Stowell, Rebecca Stowell and Debbie Luxton, sang "In Remembrance."

Pastor Bert Griffith spoke on "The Christmas Victory." Cleveland Lovejoy was the organist.

At a meeting Monday Night at Cathryn Lovejoy's plans were completed for the Dec. 14, 6 p. m., Christmas Buffet.

The regular Christmas program will be at 7 p. m., Dec. 21, at the Church.

There will be a Watch Night Service at the Gospel Center, Rt. 26, Dec. 31. Everyone welcome.

Cathryn Lovejoy worked at the Fashion Basket on Tuesday and again Wednesday evening.

Thursday, Cleve Lovejoy was busy clearing days of fallen trees in the Bryant Pond area. On the Flat Road one chimney at least, was toppled by the high winds.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cummings and daughter, Cathryn Lovejoy, were in Norway, on Friday, shopping. That evening the family gathered at Cleve Lovejoy's to share his birthday cake and ice cream.

Sunday, P. M. the Ray West family took their parents to Gosham, N. H., for a treat. Earlier Ray replaced some windows for the Cummings.

Malcolm Bennett and Miss Rose Buse returned to Houston, Tex., on Monday, after spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett. An open house was held for them with about 50 relatives and friends attending.

The West Bethel United Church Youth Fellowship Group held their regular meeting on Thursday night, Dec. 4. Supper was served, and new members were welcomed.

Rev. Rust gave a short sermon preceding the business meeting. Plans were made for bowling Sunday afternoon. Discussion of ways to earn money. Visit to send flowers to Hazel Wheeler, Church Treasurer, while she is in the hospital—Sally Snyder, Secretary.

Thanks to many helpers, the Ladies Chapel Aid and Youth Fellowship Group Christmas Sale was a success.

Chapel Aid members will meet at Mrs. Albert Bennett's home Wednesday night for their annual Christmas party.

## Newry

—Miss Amy Hanson, Corres.—

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Yates have presented the map of Newry, which Stephen made and had on display at the Town's 175th Anniversary Celebration, in the Town to be preserved. The map is now posted in the dining room at the Bear River Grange Hall. The Town wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Yates for the map and the members of Bear River Grange for allowing the map to be placed in their hall. The map outlines the Town, showing all mountain ranges, streams and houses.

The Newry Ladies Group of Extension will meet Dec. 17, for an all day meeting, at the home of Grace Buck. Luncheon will be served by Grace Buck and Edna York. This will be the Christmas Party.

Special Christmas Services will be held at the Newry Community Church, Dec. 21, at 7 p. m. Several children and adults will take part in the program, which will be entitled the Christmas Story in song, verse and scripture. Any one wishing to take part may contact Pastor Rodney Hanson or a church member.

Mrs. Iola Forbes, Bethel, spent two nights with Mr. and Mrs. David Lowell Thanksgiving week and had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will meet Dec. 18, at 7 p. m., at the Raymond Foster School. Visitors are welcome.

Pastor Rodney Hanson of the Newry Community Church requests those who will be taking part in the Christmas Service Dec. 21, to meet at the church Dec. 14, at 10 a. m. for rehearsal.

Miss Julia Ball will be 100 years old Dec. 12. Cards would be appreciated. Her address is Miss Julia Ball, 536 Pine Street, Rumford, Maine 04276.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stanley Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hale and family, Salem, Conn., two days, then spent two days with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allard and family.

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## NEWS FROM ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

—M. S. A. D. #44

The major event of the past week in S. A. D. #44 Adult and Community Education was the meeting held at Telstar on Thursday, Dec. 4, with the team from the University of Maine at Augusta, headed by Frank Antonucci of the Lewiston-Auburn Center. Despite the inclement conditions, a significant number of adults interested in college credit courses were able to attend. This attendance coupled with the number of interested prospective students who have been previously identified allows the University to progress with plans to offer a course in Bethel this spring. Further details regarding subject, instructor, time and place will be released in the near future. In the meantime, anyone who has not contacted the Adult Education Office to express their interest in such courses is urged to do so, by calling 824-2136.

Dates of importance regarding Adult and Community Education include the Dec. 15 meeting of the S. A. D. #44 Board of Directors, at which time the Adult and Community Education Budget for FY 82, will be reviewed. The following evening, Dec. 16, will see the organization meeting of the Community Advisory Council for Adult and Community Education. This meeting will be held at Telstar from 7-9, in Room 102. Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell will present council members, and any interested citizens who would like to attend, with an overview of the S. A. D. #44 Adult and Community Education Program, followed by a film, "A Sense of Community," and a discussion of future plans and the assignment of individual and subcommittee tasks.

Recent special events for bridge term classes, included a Fall Tournament and social gathering for the students in both Bridge classes at the home of instructor Robert Crane. At the final Foods Lab class Sue Farrar demonstrated the preparation of her Lithuanian chicken dish which took honors at the Fryeburg Fair and at the Maine Fall cooking competition this fall. Members of the Emergency Workshop, taught by June LaCombe of the Maine Audubon Society, met for a final evaluation session for review of their projects by the instructor on Nov. 24.

ily, Franklin, Conn., where they were joined by their other children for Thanksgiving. Friday they went to Groton, Mass., where they visited her brothers and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ridlon, Bridgton, were week end guests of Mrs. Mary Tripp. They were joined for Sunday dinner by Donald Hayner.

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## North Paris

—Eveline Barrett, Corres.—

A beautiful Sunday after the hurricane or tornado. I hope everyone gave thanks and special thanks to the power company for their untiring efforts to restore power to the many, many homes who were without heat and lights. The telephone companies also worked diligently to set new poles and string the cables which were grounded. I am thankful that I have a gas and oil kitchen stove so I can eat and keep warm, even without lights. People cannot realize the amount of damage done unless they see our forests, roofless and shingle-less houses and barns. We are indeed lucky. The carpenters were closed as some roads were impassable. The carpenters and builders are nearly out of their minds, trying to get materials for the needed repairs.

The West Paris fire department attended a chimney fire at Elmer Taylor's also Lucius Newton's.

The house formerly occupied by Mrs. Marie Benson was moved to the home of Dick Ward one day this week.

Several attended the Senior Citizens' meeting and early Christmas dinner and tree at the Legion Hall, Dec. 2. Mrs. Bedard, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Melville Dunham of Norway, led the Christmas sing-along with her accordion.

Eveline Barrett received a letter and check from Fred Jenkins, Inverness, Fla. He wanted a book, "Old Days on the Farm," so I left it with his daughter, Judy Bennett. He didn't say if he had his garden planted, but being a farmer, he must have. He and our other Maine friends sure missed a good winter blow.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Zinchuk spent the past week in New Jersey with relatives, maybe looking for Santa.

Several attended the Hunters' supper at the West Paris Legion Hall, Dec. 5. A program followed the supper.

Harlan Abbott entertained an early family Christmas party at his home Sunday, Dec. 7. Jimmy Abbott is confined to the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Record, Hungry Hollow, entertained Dec. 7, in honor of the birthdays of Maynard and Helen Emery of Mechanic Falls, and Carroll Record.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Mr. and Mrs. Emery and the Records. Gifts were also exchanged and the usual feast. The Kallinowskis called and talked with everyone present.

One of the huge green trees on Janet Cohen's driveway was uprooted, and it fell on the house of Lucius Newton and Leona Yeaton.

Eveline checked at "Big Rock"

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## B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

The B.E.A.R.S. monthly meeting is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 15, at 7 p. m. Members will be voting for next year's officers, so please attend this important meeting.

Also—please note these following dates on which E.M.T.'s and Advanced First Aiders will be tested: Dec. 14, 2 p. m. at Fire Station, Trauma; Dec. 17, 7 p. m. at Fire Station, C.P.R.; Dec. 18, 7 p. m., C.E.P. room, Oxygen, etc.

**Safety Tip of the Week:**  
**Christmas Plants to Keep Away from Children**

Many Christmas greens and plants, if eaten, can cause illness, even death. Poison centers warn that infants and young children are often fascinated by bright berries and shiny leaves, and are often tempted to chew on household plants.

Some plants used during the Christmas season are among the most dangerous. Please be aware of the dangers of the following plants:

**Holly**—Eating the bright red berries of this plant will cause nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain and diarrhea.

**Poinsettia**—Both the leaves and flowers of this popular holiday plant may be dangerous if eaten—they tend to irritate the mouth and the stomach, sometimes resulting in vomiting and diarrhea.

The plant sap may cause a poison ivy-like blistering if not quickly removed from the skin.

**Mistletoe**—The greenishwhite berries on this plant cause acute stomach and intestinal problems if eaten.

**Jerusalem Cherry**—All parts of this plant cause sickness as well as holly berry poisoning, as well as respiratory problems and possible convulsions.

Although few plants cause death, you should contact your local poison control center [Maine: 1-800-442-6305] if you have reason to believe your children have eaten these, or for that matter, ANY plant whose toxic properties are unknown to you.

and found some roofing gone from the big barn and linter and half the shingles on the house, but only one of two gone from the apple shed. Better get busy Joe before the rains start.

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## CRESCENT PARK SCHOOL

Mrs. Bean's Fourth Grade

On Friday, Nov. 21, 1980, the fourth grade class of Crescent Park School visited Bethel Furniture Stock. When they returned Mrs. Bean's class wrote paragraphs about the trip. Each child wrote at least a four sentence paragraph beginning with a topic sentence.

Following are the efforts of three of the students:

The fourth grade classes went to the Bethel Furniture Stock because we were talking about the forest regions so we went there to see all the things they could do with wood.

We went through the dryer where they dry all their wood. Next we went to a place where they keep all their wood.

He took us to a house where they saved the wood and debarked the wood and we went to the conveyor belt. Also we saw the planer.

He also took us where they make table tops and the chair backs and in the same place there was the sorter.

He took us to the glue press and when we got out he showed us where the scrap wood goes and he gave us some pens.—Brian Colby.

We all went to the Bethel Furniture Stock. It was a good trip. We all found out about the mill. We found out what they do at the mill. There were a lot of people at the mill. There are a lot of machines to make the furniture.—Stephen McLain III.

Our class went to Bethel Furniture Stock last Friday. We visited all around the building. Our class saw the saws, debarker, glue press, planer, kiln, dryer and lots of machines! Our class went because we are studying Forest Regions. And we had a fun time.—Denise Brown.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S  
NEWSLETTER

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If the district invested in renovating its school buildings, and was able to improve their energy efficiency to the optimum, the energy costs and energy savings, using FY '81 as a baseline, would be as follows (A—Projected Energy Cost w/Renovations; B—Projected Energy Savings w/Renovations):

|        | (A)       | (B)      |
|--------|-----------|----------|
| FY '81 | \$142,593 | \$31,887 |
| FY '82 | 171,112   | 38,264   |
| FY '83 | 205,334   | 45,917   |
| FY '84 | 246,400   | 55,101   |
| FY '85 | 295,031   | 66,121   |
| FY '86 | 354,817   | 79,345   |

Thus, by investing in building renovations, the district could conceivably save over \$250,000 in the next five years.

If the district chose to replace its older elementary schools with more efficient buildings, and chose to heat those buildings with fuel oil, the energy costs and energy savings, using FY '81 as a baseline, would be as follows (A—Projected Energy Cost with Rebuilding; B—Projected Energy Savings with Rebuilding):

|        | (A)       | (B)      |
|--------|-----------|----------|
| FY '81 | \$124,272 | \$50,208 |
| FY '82 | 149,126   | 60,250   |
| FY '83 | 178,952   | 72,230   |
| FY '84 | 214,742   | 86,759   |
| FY '85 | 257,690   | 104,111  |
| FY '86 | 309,229   | 124,934  |

Thus, by investing in a building program involving the replacement of the older elementary schools, the district could conservatively save nearly \$450,000 in the next five years. If the new buildings used coal, wood, or wood-chips instead of oil, or if the buildings were designed with energy savings as a specific criterion, even greater savings could be realized.

The figures speak for themselves, and they offer a strong case for investing in a building program in S. A. D. #44. Five years ago, energy accounted for 8% of the district budget. This year, 13% of our funds are allocated for energy.

As energy costs increase, other areas of the budget must be reduced, and ultimately our instructional program will suffer. With a five year savings of at least \$500,000 to the district and the taxpayers, the Board of Directors will give serious consideration to a building proposal.

I encourage you to discuss this issue with your Board member or with any administrator in the district.

## West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

The Inman family enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman's camp in Albany. There were 13 present.

Rita Salls, missionary to Africa, and Eunice Salls, a worker in Child Evangelism and Bible Clubs, are visiting their sisters, Hazel Ford, Gladys Ellingwood and Avis Ellingwood. They enjoyed a day of shopping with dinner at Bonanza. They met with relatives for Thanksgiving at Goodwill Hall in West Paris. There were 30 present, coming from Norway, Oxford, Durham, Bryant Pond, Sumner, Bridgton and West Paris. All five sisters worshipped together at the South Paris Baptist Church on Sunday.

On Saturday they met at the home of Gladys Ellingwood to celebrate the birthday of Hazel Ford. They enjoyed a good supper and fellowship. Rita will be returning to her work in the mission office in New Jersey on Sunday. Eunice plans to visit with her sisters until after Christmas.

WWI BARRACKS & AUX. #2943  
HELD MEETING DEC. 3

The World War I Barracks and Auxiliary #2943 met at the Legion Hall on Vernon Street for their regular monthly meeting, Wednesday, Dec. 3. It was preceded by a chicken pie dinner served by Doris Cornell, Rose Taylor and Frances Bennett. There were 15 members seated at the table. Chaplain Marjorie Cummings gave the blessing.

The Auxiliary opened their meeting at 1:30, with President Doris Cornell presiding. There were four officers absent by roll call. Their chairs were filled by other members for this meeting.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved. It was reported that seven members attended the Nov. 11 (Armistice Day) parade and services held at the Jackson-Silver Post #68, Locke Mills. It was followed by a fried clam dinner.

A letter from Richard Gross, chief Voluntary Service officer from Togus, thanked the group for the box of knit caps, lap robes, bibs and soft socks, and articles to be used for WWI boys during the winter months.

It was reported that the State VAVS chairman Elmyra Chase is now recuperating at her daughter's home in Hallowell and is gaining. Maude Danforth passed out "cal-

Needless to say, all the Salls girls have been enjoying the holidays.

The Hunters Club held their annual supper and presented awards on Friday evening at the Legion Hall. Milton Inman showed slides on Alaska.

The West Paris Fireman's Auxiliary held their Christmas supper and tree Saturday evening at the fire station. There were 30 present.

The Universalist Church's annual Christmas Supper and Program will be held Sunday, Dec. 14. The pot luck supper is at 5:30 p. m. Program, 6:30 p. m.

The Eleanor B. Forbes-Goodwill Group will meet at the home of Myrtle Bonney on Dec. 16, at 1 p. m., when they will fill and deliver baskets to shut-ins. Snack lunch committee is Myrtle Bonney and Gladys Ellingwood.

The West Paris Historical Society will meet at the old fire station hall, Dec. 18, at 7 p. m. David Dexter will be guest speaker. Members are to bring an old fashion Christmas card if possible. Refreshment committee, Jane James and Harland Abbott.

endary" for use during the winter to raise funds for the treasury.

One Barracks member and one Auxiliary member will be remembered by gifts on the sick list. Others unable to attend will receive Christmas cards.

Iola Forbes observed Christmas by having two poems read "Christmas Star" by Bill Lawrence and one "Christmas Thoughts" by Leona Lurvey.

An exchange of gifts and a tree and party followed the meeting. Maude Danforth was in charge of the tree. Rose Taylor was Santa.

There will be no meetings during the winter months until April 1, 1981. Merry Christmas to all.

The committee for April is Hilda Donahue, Jane Van and Maude Danforth.

## CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the people of the community for the pleasant Thanksgiving surprise. It was greatly appreciated.

Ethel Chapman

## Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

High winds did a lot of damage in the area. Power was out for several hours.

Bible class was not held Wednesday because the teacher, Sharon Torbett, turned her truck over in Milan. The vehicle was badly damaged but Sharon was unhurt.

Gilles and Yvonne Viens, Roland and Arline Bernier attended a fellowship service at the home of Ray Labrecque in Errol. Other guests were Bible class ladies, their husbands and friends. Rev. Torbett picked a mean banjo accompanied by friend Bill on the guitar.

During my latest trip to Stark for a paint decorator party I saw four deer along the roadside. A few years ago this would be expected, but for a long time it was rare to see any.

The coyotes were howling Saturday night in the direction of Red Ridge.

Rev. Don Lavasseur is teaching a series of messages entitled, "Inner Healing." Rev. Samuel DiTrollo will be guest speaker Dec. 21.

Rev. Lavasseur, wife Jeanne and four daughters, spent the week end as guests of friends in town. He called on several people during the week end.

Edna Seward has returned to Maine Medical Hospital as her condition worsened.

Rosemary Goodrum has been taken off the intensive care treatment in the Colebrook hospital. Her mother, Mae, has been spending much time in Colebrook to be with her.

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## East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

President of the church Ladies Circle, Mertice Barker, with Phyllis Millett, Fran Hamilton, Nancy Barker, Shirley Nardi, met at the church vestry Monday forenoon for a work session, each bringing their lunch. Much work on proposed projects was accomplished and they were joined in the afternoon by Helen Grover, Mary Grover, Betty Stearns and Sarah Grover.

Work was started on decorating for the Christmas season and a few returned on Wednesday to continue with the project.

Over 20 persons attended choir practice Monday night in preparation for the All Parish Christmas Eve Service which will be held here this year. Organist Danny Barker hopes several more will come to make this an outstanding event.

Juanita Past Chiefs Club met at the home of Mertice Barker Tuesday, Dec. 2, with Minerva Dudley as co-hostess. A delicious supper was enjoyed followed by the meeting and exchange of gifts. Minerva received a birthday cake, and gift from her secret pal, Mertice. The club will take a Christmas box to a shut-in member also present.

Boxes of candy to some members who are unable to attend. Recross will be observed through January and February.

Mary Grover took Agnes Files to Norway hospital Monday for X-rays and tests and on Wednesday took her back to the hospital, where she was entered for a few days of treatment.

Ethel Files is again at the Bridgton hospital for treatment.

## South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks took me and the Farris to Pomona in Harrison Tuesday night.

Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Helvi and Ralph Tucci, called on me. They had been at their camp on North Pond for the holidays. Joe, also, was at his camp.

Olive Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holt, Hanover, Monday afternoon.

The wind blow that was predicted really played havoc with the electric light lines all over the county. Our lights went off at 3:35 a. m. I'm thankful for my old wood stoves and fires at least. Water is scarce, however.

Don Demarest was hit harder as he is milking about 43 or so cows. Without electricity he is out of luck. There were trees down on the hill over the lines which he cleaned off. At 11 o'clock he was still waiting for the electric crew to check wires.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews entertained their families at their cottage near Shagg Pond over the Thanksgiving holidays. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hill and daughter, Becky, Hilda Andrews, James Kinhan and son, Kelly, Peter Kinhan, Mr. and Mrs. John Waters, daughter, Johanna Runyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Andrews.

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## ISBEE SCHOOL

Workshop will be held Dec. 12. The school day spent on Christmas preparations. Some materials are still in the room and ribbon scraps, s, old decorations, markers, glitter, aluminum ornaments, cookie decorations (decorators).

day, students from the of Maine, Farmington Science majors) spent each classroom doing involving health, nutrition y. These students are with Bill Wood. The child-remember him as Franklin, Food Friend from last

owing items have been for E.B.S. in the Camp-els for Education Pro-Language Master (8,400 Drillmaster Arithmetic 250 labels), a Scoop and ne (250 labels), a Ran-e Dictionary (1,550 la-a 370 card set of Safari ards (2,250 labels). This goal 20,700 labels and has until Feb. 21, 1981, them. Send the labels in the Resource Room. is welcome!

Children's Christmas Con-nday, Dec. 15, 1980, at in the Resource Room. is welcome!

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# WOODSTOCK, WEST PARIS & GREENWOOD ACCEPT TRI-TOWN AMBULANCE

Tri-Town Ambulance and Emergency Rescue Service was overwhelmingly accepted in town meetings in Woodstock, West Paris, and Greenwood last week. Each of the towns voted to subsidize the ambulance service for \$5 per capita of population.

The volunteer-type ambulance service will also be funded by donations and fund-raising activities. Tri-Town will offer its services free of charge to the residents of the towns involved. What seemed impossible on Oct. 1 is now a reality. Tri-Town Rescue will begin operating April 1.

Training for all interested volunteers has already begun. An ambulance attendants' course started Monday night, Dec. 8. This course will lead up to a state test required for all ambulance personnel. Anyone interested in this course can still sign up with Sally Wilson at 674-2624. Already, an advanced first aid course is underway. An EMT course is scheduled to begin on Feb. 23.

The fund raising committee is already active with plans for a 50/50 benefit raffle to be drawn on Dec. 20. A spaghetti supper will be held at the Woodstock Town Hall in Bryant Pond on Saturday, Dec. 20 at 5:30 p. m.

The only way the Tri-Town Ambulance and Rescue Service will be a success is to have the townspeople of Woodstock, West Paris and Greenwood support the activities. Come to the supper on Dec. 20, buy a ticket on the cash price to be awarded, and keep listening for other fund-raising activities in the future.

## PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE HAVING ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY, DEC. 17

Pleasant Valley Grange is having their annual Children's Christmas Party, Wednesday, Dec. 17, at the West Bethel Grange Hall.

There will be a pot luck supper at 6 o'clock, Christmas Party at 7 o'clock, and a regular meeting following the party. Any family with children that haven't been contacted please call Helen Saunders, 836-3192, or Jane Hosterman, 836-2882, as information is needed on children's ages and how many so Santa won't forget them. Anyone 13 and over is considered an adult. A lady must bring a lady's gift. A man a man's gift. Please call by Dec. 14. Santa is going to be there. Remember members' workshop Dec. 14 at 2 o'clock at John and Pauline Applin's.

## NAZARENE FAMILY

### CHRISTMAS PARTY, DEC. 17

A family Christmas party for the Bethel Church of the Nazarene will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 7 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Glenn Murphy. Those wishing to exchange gifts should plan to bring a gift.

## TELSTAR SPORTS SCHEDULE CHANGES ANNOUNCED

The Telstar Athletic Department announces the following basketball schedule changes:

Friday, Dec. 12, Boys' Varsity and JV at Oxford Hills has been changed to Saturday, Dec. 13, at 6:15.

Wednesday, Dec. 17, M/S Boys' Varsity and JV at Mexico has been changed to Saturday, Dec. 13, at 1:30 at the high school gym.

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3rd Bouillabaisse  
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to name only two  
5th A salad of fresh greens  
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Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummings

## CUMMINGS - WENTWORTH

The North Bridgton Congregational Church was the setting Oct. 18, for the wedding of Becky Lee Wentworth and Wayne Allen Cummings.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Wentworth of Harrison. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Cummings, Jr., of Bethel.

A reception followed at the VFW Hall in Harrison.

Bonnie Smith, sister of the bride, of Harrison, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Barbara Wentworth, sister of the bride, of Northridge, Calif.; Linda Kellough, Debra Wentworth, and Lynn Holden, all of Harrison. Bruce Cummings of Bethel was best man for his

brother. Ushers were Douglas Brooks, York, Pa.; Randy Olson, South Paris; Chris Olson and Levi Brown, both of Bethel.

The bridal gown was made by Barbara Wentworth. The guest book was circulated by Rhonda Cummings. The gift table was attended by Shelly Burrill and Mrs. Eleanor Morton cut the cake.

A graduate of Oxford Hills High School, the bride is employed by Commercial Union Insurance Co. of Boston, Mass.

Mr. Cummings is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School and is employed by George Campbell Painting Co., in Boston, Mass.

After a wedding trip the couple new reside in Revere, Mass.

## 'What is C.A.D.E.T.?'

C.A.D.E.T. (Chemical Abuse and Drug Education Team) is a newly formed community group in the S. A. D. #44 area. The team, comprised of 14 members, attended a week long training session held at the Bethel Inn in mid-November. The seminar sponsored by the Maine State Department of Education, Unit for Alcohol and Drug Education, has given the team means and information to use in formulating goals and objectives for the eventual community awareness program.

Members on the team are: David Walton, chairman; Pauline Applin, Warren Bouchard, Kelly

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkins and Donna Lane returned to their home in Florida after being called here by the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Grace Merrill.

## BORN

In Portland, Dec. 5, to Scott and Sharon Merrill of Portland (formerly of Bethel), a son, Alexander Scott.

In Norway, Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Boyce (Tanya Newell), a son, Trevor Bradley.

In Norway, Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Perry (Paula Belanger) of Bethel, a daughter, Heather Marie.

In Norway, Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. James DeNormandie of South Paris, formerly of Greenwood, a daughter, Jessica Lynn.

In Norway, Nov. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Seames (Debra Stearns) of Bethel, a son, Rusty Alan.

## DIED

In Augusta, Dec. 8, Blye Granville Jodrey of China, native of Bethel, aged 64 years.

In Norway, Dec. 9, Mrs. Dorothy E. Beaupre of Bethel, aged 64 years.

## FROM THE TOWN OFFICE

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voted to approve the Victualers License application.

The Selectmen discussed the upcoming appointment of a trustee of the Bethel Water District. The Selectmen directed the Manager to note in the weekly column that the appointment would be made in the next two/three weeks and that any citizens interested should contact the Town Office or any member of the Board of Selectmen by Friday, Dec. 19.

The Board reviewed and approved a concealed weapons permit application form. This new application form requires information, occupation, personal record, and a letter of recommendation.

The dates for the 1981 Annual Meeting were set for March 16 and 17, 1981. Voting for Selectmen, Assessors and School Directors will take place on Monday, March 16, and the Annual Business Meeting will be the evening of March 17. Nomination papers for the two Selectmen positions, two Assessor positions and two School Directors will be available on Dec. 30 and must be returned by Feb. 9.

The Board directed the Town Manager to work with Stanley Howe in developing a cover for the 1980 Annual Town Report. The Board also set Jan. 12 as the deadline for submitting reports to be included in the Annual Report. Dec. 22 was set as the deadline for the submission of articles to be included in the 1981 Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

There was considerable discussion regarding space for the ambulance service. The Selectmen voted to ask the Facilities Committee to review possible alternatives for an addition to the fire station along with costs and report back to the Board in mid-January.

The Board entered executive session to continue discussions on 1981 salary negotiations.

Residents should note that 1981 hunting and fishing licenses and 1981 dog licenses are now available at the Town Office.

## ADULT ED. BRIDGE CLASSES ENTERTAINED

The Adult Education Bridge Classes were entertained last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crane in five table Howell Movement Duplicate Bridge Tournament: 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ramage; 2nd, Mrs. Charles Farrar and Mrs. Frances Farnum; 3rd, Dorothy Hooper and Jane Demarest; 4th, Evanna Grover and Elsie Aylward.

## MRS. DOROTHY E. BEAUPRE

Mrs. Dorothy E. Beaupre of Bethel died Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1980, at the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

She was born at South Paris, March 5, 1916, the daughter of Isaac and Mary Bryant Childs.

She is survived by her husband, Maurice of Bethel; a daughter, Mrs. Marie Blue of Rochester, N. H.; a brother, Donald Childs of Bryant Pond; two sisters, Mrs. Rita Walker of Mechanic Falls, and Mrs. Gloria McCulloch, South Portland; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the Greenleaf funeral home.

## TAP GROUP ENJOYS POT LUCK SUPPER

The second meeting of the TAP group at Ethel Bisbee School was a sociable pot luck supper last week. After the meal, teachers and parents planned this week's Christmas workshop. On Friday the children will spend the day as Santa's helpers, making ornaments, baking and singing. Caroline Gould gave details of the Campbell soup label drive; the classroom language masters obtained last year have been very valuable, and it should be possible to surpass the 20,000 label goal this year! Steve Wight announced that enthusiasm is high for playground equipment and anyone having access to plans or pictures of possible structures please let him know. Hopefully the ball will get rolling after the holidays!

The next meeting is held for Jan. 20 at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bane have moved to the Brown's Variety Store apartment for the winter.

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## BLYE G. JODREY

Blye Granville Jodrey, of China, died unexpectedly Monday, Dec. 8, 1980, at the Kennebec Valley Medical Center, Augusta Division.

He was born Oct. 4, 1916 in Bethel, son of Kenneth and Amy Blake Jodrey. Mr. Jodrey was educated in Rumford schools and was employed by the Oxford Paper Co. for many years. Later he went to Augusta to be employed by the Hudson Pulp and Paper Co. and Statler Tissue Co. He retired a few years ago. He was a World War II Army veteran, a member of the Veterans Memorial Post, A. L., Augusta, and attended the Augusta Baptist Church.

He is survived by a son, Blye G. Jr., Augusta; two brothers, John W. and Walter, both of Andover; and two sisters, Mrs. Marion Arsenault, Mexico, and Mrs. Idella Laisel, Orlando, Fla.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Augusta with interment at Maine Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Augusta.

## "GOD'S FAVORITE" DEC. 13 AT SUNDAY RIVER

The Arts Institute of Western Maine will present the Neil Simon comedy, "God's Favorite," at the Sunday River Base Lodge, Saturday, Dec. 13, at 3 p. m.

## CUB SCOUTS

Den 2 met Dec. 9 and worked on Christmas presents. We're beginning to work on a Christmas skit for the pack meeting. Kevin Davis earned two beads for progress toward ranks. — Denner, Mason McGurn.

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## FROM THE bethel town office

Dog and cat owners are reminded that a Rabies Clinic will be held Saturday, Dec. 20, in the basement at the rear of the Fire Station from 10 a. m. to 12 noon. The fee for rabies shots is \$3.50. Dog licenses may also be obtained at the clinic with license fees as follows: \$6.50 for males and females and \$3 for spayed females and neutered males.

Ginny Poland, outreach worker for Oxford County Community Services, will be at the Town Office, Wednesday morning, Dec. 24, from 9 a. m. to noon to accept applications for the State Fuel Assistance Program.

On Monday evening, Dec. 22, a Special Town Meeting will be held at 7 o'clock in the Bethel Fire Station to act on budget items where unanticipated expenditures have occurred during 1980. The first warrant article will deal with choosing a moderator for the meeting. Article 2 will be to see if the Town will vote to appropriate funds from unappropriated surplus to the following accounts to cover unanticipated expenditures for 1980: General Govern-

A program being planned for Tuesday, Dec. 23, at the Bethel Fire Station to act on budget items where unanticipated expenditures have occurred during 1980. The first warrant article will deal with choosing a moderator for the meeting. Article 2 will be to see if the Town will vote to appropriate funds from unappropriated surplus to the following accounts to cover unanticipated expenditures for 1980: General Govern-

ment, \$1,500; Street Lights, \$1,000; Cemeteries, \$500; Airport Operations, \$500; Maintenance, \$500; and other accounts included in the Citizen action of the Legislature.

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## THE BETHEL CITIZEN DEADLINES

Issues of Dec. 25 and Jan. 1

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Dec. 22 & Dec. 29

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

10 A. M., Tuesday

Dec. 23 & Dec. 30

NEWS ITEMS

As soon after the event as possible.

Community correspondents must mail their contributions no later than Monday (Dec. 22 & Dec. 29), if they are mailed after that they probably won't arrive in time.

ALL material for publication should always be submitted as early as possible.

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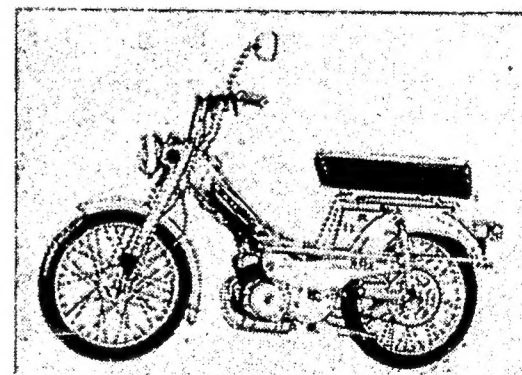
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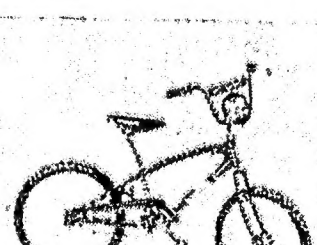
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